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Births.

AMESS.—October 2, at her residence, Stewart-street, Paddington, the wife of Will Amess, of a son.
BAKER.—September 29, at her residence, 180, Forbes-street, Darlinghurst, the wife of George Baker, of a son.
BURNS.—August 27, at her residence, Manly Beach, the wife of C. J. Burns, solicitor, of a daughter.
CHAPPELLE.—October 6, at her residence, 385, Liverpool-street, the wife of R. H. Chappelle, of a daughter.
D'ARRIETTA.—September 25, at her residence, Sunnybank, Morgan-street, Marrickville, the wife of Arthur J. D'Arrietta, of a son.
DEIGHTON.—October 1, at Burrowa, the wife of Robert Deighton, of a daughter.
GILLESPIE.—September 22, 1887, at her residence, Gladstone-street, Burwood, the wife of Thomas Gillespie, of a son.
HORDERN.—October 1, at her residence, Belgrave-street, Petersham, the wife of Edward Hordern, of a daughter.
HOWE.—October 5, at her residence, Lynton Cottage, Gundagai, the wife of William Howe, of a son.
JAY.—September 29, at her residence, Foss-street, Forest Lodge, the wife of James T. Jay, of a son.
MORRIS.—October 2, at her residence, Coopervilla, Military-road, St. Leonards, the wife of R. N. Morris, of a son.
MURDOCK.—October 2, at her residence, Ascot Cottage, Metropolitan-road, Enmore, the wife of W. D. Murdock, of a son, still born.
VAUGHAN.—October 2, at her residence, Edwin-street, Croydon, Mrs. W. E. Vaughan, of a daughter.
WALKER.—September 20, at her residence, Waterview-street, Balmain, the wife of Compton S. Walker, of a daughter.
WRIGHT.—October 1, at Ashfield, the wife of E. F. Wright, of a son.

Marriages.

ANDREWS—JONES.—September 29, at the residence of the bride's parents, 11, Womerah-avenue, by the Rev. J. W. Winspear, Samuel Joseph, eldest son of G. W. Andrews, of Leichhardt, to Ellen Louisa, youngest daughter of P. Jones, of Sydney.
BECKER—PAKES.—September 22, at St. David's Church, Surry Hills, by the Rev. J. Hargrave, Phillip Joseph, fourth son of Frederick Becker, of Riley-street, Surry Hills, to Eliza Ann, second daughter of George Pakes, plasterer, of Renny-street, Paddington, N. S. W.
BENSON—JACKSON.—September 14, at St. Anne's, Ryde, by the Rev. H. H. Britten, Edward Ernest, third youngest son of Paul Benson, North Ryde, to Lizzie, youngest daughter of William Jackson, Mayor of Ryde.
HILDEBRAND — MACDERMOTT. — September 24, at St Joseph's, Woollahra, by the Rev. Father Fitzgerald, O.S.F., Cevers Perry, eldest son of Henry Perry Hildebrand, Esq., of Westport, county of Mayo, Ireland, to Ellen Mary, eldest daughter of M. Macdermott, of Paddington, Sydney.
KIRKBY—BRIGGS.—September 21, at the residence of the bride's parents, Carsholme, Summer Hill, by the Rev. George Macfunes, M.A., B.D., Thomas Soulby Kirkby, to Sarah, second eldest daughter of William Briggs, Esq.
M'LEAN—DEFRIES.—July 5, 1887, by the Rev. James Paton, Petersham, Finlay M'Lean, third son of Lauchlan M'Lean, Perthshire, Scotland, to Esther Cordelia, second eldest daughter of Samuel Defries, of Leichhardt, Sydney, N. S. W.
SAILS—DEFRIES.—August 18, by the Rev. James Paton, Thomas Sails, second son of the late Robert Sails, of Darlinghurst, to Carlotta Bertha, fourth daughter of Samuel Defries, of Leichhardt, Sydney, N. S. W.
WILSON—DEUCHAR.—October 1, at Holy Trinity Church, Dulwich Hill, by the Rev. James Clarke, William Wilson to Eliza Charlotte, relict of the late John Deuchar, Glengallan Station, Darling Downs, Queensland.

Deaths.

BRIOT.—October 2nd, 1887, at her parents' residence, 216, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo, Adèle Australia Violet, fourth dearly-beloved daughter of Maurice and Jane Briot, and granddaughter of the late William Inglis, merchant, King and Oxford streets, of bronchitis, dentition, and adenitis, aged 11 months and 26 days. A sweet bud in heaven.
BRISTOWE.—October 6, during a visit to Victoria to recruit his health, Edward Montgomery, eldest son of E. H. C. Bristowe, Sydney, aged 19 years and 8 months.
CARTER.—October 6, 1887, at 163, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, Martha Carter, aged 70 years, from bronchitis.
LE QUESNE.—October 7, at 10, Darlinghurst-road, Philip Winter Le Quesne, of Jersey, Channel Islands, and Northwood, Lane Cove River, aged 49 years.
MARKEY.—October 5, at his residence, 12, Regent-street, Sydney, James Markey, L.R.C.S.I., L.R.C.P., Ed., eldest surviving son of the late Patrick Markey, of Rockbellew, county Meath, Ireland.
NEWMAN.—October 4, 1887, at West Tamworth, M. A. Duff, the dearly beloved wife of T. M. Newman, solicitor.
RUSHTON.—September 28, 1887, at his residence, 319, Sussex-street, Richard Rushton, journalist, in his 72nd year, leaving a wife and son and large circle of friends to mourn their loss.
WILSON.—October 6, 1887, at the residence of his sister, Aubrey House, Darghan-street, Lyndhurst, George Robert Simpson, seventh son of the late John and Martha Wilson, Mulgoa Forest, Camden, aged 21 years.

In Memoriam.

CALNAN.—In loving remembrance of John G. Calnan, who departed this life October 8, 1885, aged 60 years.
CALNAN.—In sad and loving remembrance of my dear husband, John G. Calnan, who departed this life October 8, 1886, aged 60.
CUNNINGHAM.—In memory of James Cunningham, of London, who died at 111, Derwent-street, Glebe, Sydney, October 8, 1886. Inserted by his loving friends, C. and L. Brown. London and New Zealand papers please copy.
LEVER.—In memory of my dear mother, who died October 8, 1885. Dead, but not forgotten. Inserted by Maria.
MATTHEWS.—In fond and loving remembrance of my late departed father Aaron Matthews, who departed this life on the 8th October, 1885. His last and loving words were, "I know His mercy endureth for ever." Text as preached by Rev. Mr. Southby at St. Simon and St. Jude's Church, on Sunday, 11th October, 1885.
MATTHEWS.—In loving remembrance of my dear father, Aaron Matthews, who departed this life October 8, 1885, aged 72, at his late residence, 22, Little Hill-street, off Brisbane-street, a native of Berkshire, England, leaving an affectionate wife and family of seven to mourn their loss. Inserted by his loving daughter, Lucy Banks.
M'FARLANE.—In fond remembrance of James Swindell M'Farlane, who died on the 8th of October, 1885, aged 24 years.

Shipping.

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LUSITANIA ...	3825 Tons	A. Tillet ...	Oct. 11
LIGURIA ...	4666 "	G. F. Dixon ...	Oct. 25
AUSTRAL ...	5588 "	J. F. Ruthven...	Nov. 8
IBERIA ...	4702 "	J. W. Shannon	Nov. 22

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Steamer.	Tns	Commanders	Leave Sydney Noon.	Leave Melbourne, 1 p.m.	Leave Glenelg.
Clyde ...	4136	E. M. Edmond ...	Oct. 14	Oct. 20	Oct. 22
Chusan ...	4496	H. Wyatt ...	Oct. 28	Nov. 3	Nov. 5
Thames ...	4101	W. A. Seaton ...	Nov. 11	Nov. 17	Nov. 19
Parramatta	4771	R. G. Murray ...	Nov. 25	Dec. 1	Dec. 3

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CALEDONIEN	H. de Maubeuge	Nov. 26 ...	Nov. 30
SYDNEY	Pellegrin	Dec. 24 ...	Dec. 28

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HABSBURG	K. V. Gössel ...	Oct. 12	Oct. 17	Oct. 19
SALIER ...	C. Thalenhorst ...	Nov. 10	Nov. 14	Nov. 16

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CHANGSHA ...	2300	1800	J. E. Williams...	Oct. 15
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TAIYUAN ..	2300	1800	H. N. Dodd ...	Nov. 24
TSINAN ...	2300	1800	W. N. Allison ...	Nov. —

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COPTIC ...	4448	5000	Nov. 12.
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DORIC ...	4744	5500	Jan. 7.
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Sikh	2308	Scotland	
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Glaucus	2712	Johnson	

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Ditto ...	Birksgate	... Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 14
BRISBANE ...	Quiraing	... This day, 2 p.m., Oct. 8.
Ditto ...	Barcoo ...	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
Ditto ...	Eurimbla	... Wednesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 12.
Ditto ...	Ranelagh	... Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 14.
Ditto ...	Katoomba	... Saturday, 2 p.m., Oct. 15
Ditto ...	Cintra ...	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 18.
MARYBOROUGH Friday's steamer without changing; Tuesday's steamer changes at Brisbane	Barcoo	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
	Ranelagh	... Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 14.
BUNDABERG and GLADSTONE without changing	Eurimbla	... Wednesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 12.
	Glanworth	... Wednesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 19.
ROCKHAMPTON... Wednesdays' and Fridays' steamers direct without changing; Tuesdays' and Saturdays' steamers change at Keppel Bay	Quiraing	... This day, 2 p.m., Oct. 8.
	Barcoo	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
	Eurimbla	... Wednesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 12.
	Ranelagh	... Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 14.
	Katoomba	... Saturday, 2 p.m., Oct. 15
BOWEN ...	Cintra	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 18.
*PORT MACKAY (Flat Top)... TOWNSVILLE CAIRNS	Barcoo...	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Tuesdays' and Saturdays' steamers direct without changing; Wednesdays' steamers change at Brisbane	Quiraing	... This day, 2 p.m., Oct 8.
	Barcoo	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
	Eurimbla	... Wednesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 12
	Katoomba	... Saturday, 2 p.m., Oct. 15.
	Cintra	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 19.
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (Change at Cleveland Bay)...	Barcoo	... Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 11.
THURSDAY ISL'D, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields), BURKETOWN	Rockton, from Brisbane October 20. Passengers and cargo from Sydney, per Ranelagh	... Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 14.
	Katoomba	... Saturday, 2 p.m., Oct. 15.
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Albany, Vasse, Bunbury, Fremantle (Perth), &c., per S.S. VICTORIAN, sailing TO-DAY, 8th instant, to Melbourne, and thence per S.S. FLINDERS on the 15th instant, transhipping at Fremantle for Northern ports.

Agent in Melbourne—
J. F. OGDEN, 150, Collins-street West.
For further information apply to
G. S. YUILL, Agent, 39, Pitt-street.

WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS' (LTD.)
Line of Magnificent Fast Steel Steamships.

For MELBOURNE (Also see separate advertisement).

THIS DAY, 8th inst., 12 noon	BARRABOOL ...	L. Tindal
TUESDAY, 11th inst., 12 noon	RODONDO ...	Nightingall
FRIDAY, 14th inst., at 4 p.m.	BUNINYONG ...	J. D. Joy
SATURDAY, 15th inst., 12 noon	LEURA	W. Ellis

For ADELAIDE (via Melbourne).

TUESDAY, 11th inst., 12 noon	RODONDO ...	Nightingall
TUESDAY, 18th inst., 12 noon	GAMBIER ...	R. R. Brown

The steamers of this service are the largest engaged in the Adelaide trade.
Passengers by through steamers for Adelaide are maintained on board while in Melbourne.
For BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek. (See separate advertisement.)

THIS DAY, 8th inst., 1 p.m. ...	LEURA ...	W. Ellis
TUESDAY, 11th inst., at 4 p.m.	BURWAH ...	J. South
SATURDAY, 15th inst., at 1 p.m.	BARRABOOL	L. Tindal

Second cabin passengers supplied with bedding and victualled.
All passengers' tickets issued on board steamers by ships' officers will be charged 5s in excess of the ordinary rate.
RETURN TICKETS are available for SIX months.
WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Ltd.
Wharves—Foot of King-street. Offices—79, York-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

The fast and favourite
S.S. BARRABOOL, L. Tindall, commander,
will be despatched THIS DAY, at 12 noon.

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The fast and favourite
S.S. LEURA, W. ELLIS, Commander,
will be despatched for the above ports (transhipping at Brisbane)
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 1 p.m.
Cargo not received after 11.30.

The LEURA has been fitted with new boilers of increased power, and undergone an extensive overhaul to saloon and passenger cabins at Mort's Dock.
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HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.'S LINE
STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

BURRUMBEET ...	SATURDAY, October 8 ...	At 12 noon.
WENDOUREE ...	SATURDAY, October 15 ...	At 12 noon.

The powerful steel steamship BURRUMBEET, 3500 tons, GEO. TAIT, Commander, leaves Huddart, Parker's Wharf, foot of Margaret-street, SATURDAY, October 8,
at 12 noon,
FOR MELBOURNE DIRECT.
FARES:
Saloon, single, £2 5s; ditto, return, £3 15s; Fore Cabin, £1.
Return available for six months.
The BURRUMBEET is the LARGEST steamship on this coast, and admittedly unrivalled for comfort and PROMENADE DECK, and is amongst the fastest.
She is the only ship owned in Australia which is placed on the Admiralty List for transports, being built with eight water-tight compartments, and double-bottomed, thus protecting the vital parts of the ship.
The SALOON is of exquisite design, full beam of the ship which is 40 feet. ELECTRIC LIGHT IS INSTALLED.
The FORE CABIN is on the MAIN DECK. Inspection invited.
Fore-cabin passengers found in food, beds, and rugs.
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STEAM TO SHOALHAVEN and BROUGHTON CREEK.

From Huddart, Parker's Wharf.

Monday, October 10	Meeinderry ...	at 9 p.m.
Thursday, October 13	Meeinderry ...	at 9 p.m.
Friday, October 14	Coomonderry ...	

Taking passengers and cargo direct for Nowra Bridge Wharf, Bomaderry. No cargo received after 5 p.m. on day of sailing.
HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.
Offices and Wharf: Foot of Margaret-street.

TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

SUMMER EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS
will be
ISSUED FROM 24th OCTOBER
(available for three months),
to and from
HOBART: Saloon, £7; Steerage, £5
LAUNCESTON: Saloon, £6; Steerage, £4.

All EXCURSION TICKETS EXPIRE on or before 30th APRIL, 1888.

DATES OF SAILING.
From Tasmanian Jetty, Grafton Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street, for
HOBART, Via EDEN, S.S. FLORA, 1272 tons register, MONDAY, 10th October, at 4 p.m.
LAUNCESTON, Via EDEN, S.S. CORINNA, on or about THURSDAY, 13th October, at 10 a.m.

Return Steerage Tickets are now issued as under:—
Between Sydney and Hobart £5 5 0
Between Sydney and Launceston ... £4 10 0
Return Tickets are available for Six Months
No cargo received within an hour of sailing.
For full particulars apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents,
15, Pitt-street.

ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY.

WOLLONGONG—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.; Friday, 11a.m.; Wednesday, Saturday, noon (passengers only).
KIAMA—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11p.m.
SHOALHAVEN—Tuesday, Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA—Wednesday, noon; cargo, 11 a.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.
CLYDE, BATEMAN'S BAY, MORUYA—Friday, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon; cargo, 11 a.m.
TATHRA (for BEGA)—Wednesday, Saturday, noon; cargo, 11 a.m.
EDEN—Wednesday, Saturday, noon; cargo, 11 a.m.
BERMAGUI—Wednesday, Saturday, noon (passengers only).

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, AND RAYMOND TERRACE,

Hunter River New S. N. Company's Steamers,
from Wharf, foot of Market-street.
THIS NIGHT, SATURDAY, at 11.30, the NAMOI.
On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11.30, the MAITLAND.
Goods will not be received after 3 p.m.
For particulars apply at the Central Booking Office, 353, George-street, or at Office, 147, Sussex-street.
P. J. THOMAS, Manager.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited.

Steamers from Lime-street, foot of Erskine-street, to Newcastle, Morpeth, and Raymond Terrace.
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) NIGHT, at 11, the SYDNEY.
On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11.30, the SYDNEY.
Paterson cargo received THIS DAY.
No cargo received after 3 p.m. on Saturdays.
For particulars apply at Offices, York-street, next Opera House, and Lime-street.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

From Market Wharf, foot of Market-street.
S.S. HELEN NICOLL, THIS (Saturday) NIGHT, at 9.
S.S. AUSTRALIAN, TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9.
Goods for Tenterfield and Fairfield all landed at Lawrence.
Goods for New England and Glen Innes landed at South Grafton.

PORT MACQUARIE DIRECT.
S.s. Wellington, MONDAY NEXT, 5 p.m.

NAMBUCCA RIVER, via PORT MACQUARIE.
S.s. Wellington, MONDAY NEXT, 5 p.m.

BELLINGER RIVER.
S.s. Fernmount, in a few days.

MANNING RIVER DIRECT.
S.s. Rosedale, MONDAY NEXT, 7 p.m.

Further particulars apply
JOHN SEE and CO., 129, Sussex-street.

RICHMOND RIVER.

REGULAR WEEKLY SERVICE.

S.S. TOMKI,
TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2.
Superior accommodation. Ladies' Cabin on deck.
Cargo now received for all parts of River.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
C. and R. R. S. N. Company.

MACLEAY RIVER.

S.S. WOODBURN,
THIS NIGHT, at 9.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
C. and R. R. S. N. Company,
Clarence Wharf, 8, Sussex-street North.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. CITY OF GRAFTON,
TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9.

Superior accommodation. Inspection invited.
Goods landed at Lawrence for Fairfield and Tenterfield, and at South Grafton for Glen Innes and New England.
Return Tickets available for three months.
RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
C. and R. R. S. N. Company,
Clarence Wharf, 8, Sussex-street North.

WAGONGA, TILBA TILBA, and BODALLA.

S.S. UNION sails THIS DAY, at 4 p.m. All freights payable in Sydney.
GEO. SPEARS, Cowper Wharf.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. WYRALLAH,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 7 p.m.
Ladies' cabin on deck; also special deck cabins.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

TWEED RIVER, BYRON BAY.—The favourite Steamship TWEED THIS DAY, at 2 p.m. sharp.
GEO. W. NICOLL,
Victoria Wharf.

GOSFORD AND NEWCASTLE
BY TRAIN AND STEAMER.
S.S. GOSFORD and S.S. CHARLOTTE FENWICK DAILY.
From King-st. Wf. 8.30 a.m., *1.45 p.m. } arrive at Gosford,
" No. 4 Jetty, 9 a.m., *2.15 p.m. } and *5 p.m.
" Gosford, ‡9 a.m., 2 p.m.; arr. Sydney +12 and 5 p.m.
* Omitted on Sundays. + Omitted on Mondays.
‡ Omitted on Sundays and Mondays.
Trains leave Newcastle 8.45 a.m., arr. Gosford 12.30.
" " Gosford 1.30 p.m., arr. Newcastle 5.15.
Steamer Fares: 4s single, 6s return, available for two weeks.
SUNDAY EXCURSIONS from King-st. Wf., 9 a.m., via Darling-st.; No. 4 Jetty, 9.30 a.m. Return, 5s, available day of issue.
Goods received at King-st. Whf. Freight payable in Sydney.
By TRAIN to PEAT'S FERRY, thence STEAMER.
Leave Peat's Ferry 10.30 a.m., *3 p.m., arr. Gosford 12.30, *4.30 p.m.
" Gosford *12.30, 1.30 p.m., arr. Peat's Ferry *2, 3.30 p.m. } Fare, 2s 6d.
* On Sundays only.

PARRAMATTA RIVER AND HUNTER'S HILL STEAMERS.

TIMES OF DEPARTURE FROM KING-STREET DAILY.

The times having an asterisk (*) affixed to them go from No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay. Those marked + omitted Saturday.

For PARRAMATTA PARK, DUNDAS, ERMINGTON, NEWINGTON, SUBIACO: 6.30, 9, 10*, and 10, 11, 1, 2*, 3, 5.5.
RYDE, MORTLAKE, &c.: 6.30, 9, 10*, and 10, 11 a.m.; 1, 2*, 3, 3.45+, 4.15, 5.5, 7, 11.15 p.m. Ryde, Mon., Wed., Sat., only, 11.15p.m.
CORREY'S GARDENS.—Same as Gladesville. Return fare, Saturday, 1s.
GLADESVILLE and CHISWICK: 6.30, 9, 10, and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 11.15 p.m. Sat., 9.30 p.m.
FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD: 6.30, 10 a.m.; 12.30, 4.15, 5.5+, 6.15 p.m., (via Ryde 11.15 p.m.); Sat., 9.30 p.m.
VILLA MARIA: 7.15, 9, 10 and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45+, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
HUNTER'S HILL, LONG NOSE, COCKATOO, and DRUMMOYNE PARK: 6.30, 7.15, 9, 10 and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45+, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 8.45, (9 Saturday only), 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

FARES—SATURDAYS.
Hunter's Hill and Villa Maria: 1st Class, return 9d; 2nd Class, return 6d.
Parramatta: 2nd Class, 1s return; 1st Class, 1s 6d return.

ON SUNDAY.
KING-STREET to PARRAMATTA PARK, ERMINGTON, NEWINGTON, RYDE, PUTNEY, and MORTLAKE: 9.15, 11, and 11* a.m.; 2.10*, 2.15, 3; 6.15, and to Ryde 7 and 8 p.m.
HUNTER'S HILL, DRUMMOYNE, CORREY'S, CHISWICK, VILLA MARIA, GLADESVILLE:—9.15, 10, 11, and 11* a.m.; 1, 2.10*, 2.15, 3, 5, 6.15, 7 /8, except Villa Maria), 9.30 p.m.
FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, BURWOOD: 10 a.m., 1, 2.10*, 2.15, 5, 9.30 p.m.
Fares as on ordinary days.

MANLY BEACH.

The most BEAUTIFUL WATERING PLACE near Sydney.

Saloon Steamers BRIGHTON, FAIRLIGHT, and NARRABEEN.

SATURDAYS (weather permitting).
Leave Sydney, 7.15, 9, 10.15, 11.30, 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 7, 9, 11.15.
Leave Manly, 7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 10, 12, 12.30, 2.30, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 10.

Freight must be delivered at the wharf 15 minutes before the departure of the steamer, and not later than 10 a.m.

SUNDAY.
Leave Sydney, 10.15, 11, 12, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 5.45, 7.
Leave Manly, 9, 12, 12.30, 2, 5, 5.15, 5.30, 9.

FARE—Return ticket, 1s; children, 6d.

CHOWDER BAY.

Steamer COURIER daily, from Floating Jetty, 7.15, 10.30, 2.30, and 5 p.m. Boarders carried free. Chowder Bay pleasure Grounds and Port Jackson Pavilion can be engaged for school and society picnics. Large or small parties catered for in the best of style by applying at Chowder Bay office, Arbitration-street, Circular Quay; or Marine Hotel, Chowder.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMERS LEAVE—
LIME-STREET, foot of Erskine-street, at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, *12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.15, 11.15.
FIG TREE, HUNTER'S HILL, 7, 8, 8.50, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 10.15.
SUNDAYS.—LIME-STREET, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.30.
FIG TREE, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.30.
Calling each way at GREENWICH, WOOLWICH, NORTHWOOD, LONGUEVILLE, SUNNYSIDE, ALEXANDRA-ST., RIVERVIEW, and DRUMMOYNE-STREET.

FARES:
Greenwich and Woolwich—Single, 3d; return, 6d.
Other Wharfs—Single, 9d; return, 1s; children, 6d.
Available at all hours and till next day of issue. Saturday's ticket available to Monday following. Subscribers: Ladies, 7s 6d per month; Gentlemen, 15s. Families as per arrangement, available at all hours.
A cargo boat leaves Lime-street wharf daily at 1 p.m., landing cargo at all convenient places.
* On Saturdays, 12.15.

THE WATSON'S BAY AND SOUTH SHORE STEAM FERRY COMPANY.

No. 3 JETTY, CIRCULAR QUAY.

The Company's Steamers are available on the shortest notice for Picnic Parties, Harbour Excursions, &c.

TIME TABLE FOR WATSON'S BAY:
FROM SYDNEY: 6.45 a.m., 9.20, 10.30, 11.30; 12.30 p.m., 1.30, 2.30, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.
FROM WATSON'S BAY: 8.15 a.m., 9.55, 11.45; 12.30 p.m., 1, 2.10, 2, 4, 5, 5.45, 6.30.
Late Trips from Sydney to Watson's Bay: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9 p.m.; Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 11.30 p.m.
Leaving Watson's, for Sydney: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9.45 p.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12 midnight.
Sunday trips as usual.
TIME TABLE FOR SOUTH SHORE:
From Sydney: 6.30 a.m., 9, 10.5; 1 p.m. (1.10 p.m. on Saturdays), 2.30, 4.15, 5.30.
From Rose Bay: 8.15 a.m., 9.20, 10.40; 1.45 p.m., 3.15, 4.50, 5.50, calling at intermediate wharfs each way.
SUNDAYS.—From Sydney: 9 a.m., 10.45; 12.40 p.m., 2.45, 4.15.
From Rose Bay: 10 a.m., 11.30; 1.15 p.m., 3.30, 5.15.

MOSSMAN'S BAY. MOSSMAN'S BAY.

STEAMERS LEAVE NO. 4 JETTY, CIRCULAR QUAY.
Fare, 3d. Fare, 3d. Fare, 3d.

CHOWDER BAY.
EVERY SUNDAY.
Reduced Fares. 3d each way. The fast steamer Courier, and others, leave the Floating Jetty, foot of Phillip-street, Circular Quay, 7.30, 10.30, 11.30, 2.30, and 3 p.m., calling at Woolloomooloo Bay.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR, Daily.
S.S. THE GRAND leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 and 2.30. Fare, 1s.

CLONTARF and HEAD of MIDDLE HARBOUR, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY.

Steamers LEVERET and THE GRAND leave No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., and 2.30 p.m.; Woolloomooloo, 2.45 p.m.; returning 12.15 and 4.45 p.m.

TRIPS ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR.
Steamer LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty at 2.30 p.m.
Steamer THE GRAND leaves Woolloomooloo at 2.45 p.m.
Return fare, 1s; Children, 6d. W. and T. MOORE.

HEAD of LANE COVE on SUNDAY.—The Steamer MAGGIE will leave Milson's Point at 9.45, and Blue's Point North Shore, at 10 a.m.
Return fare, 1s 6d.

TWEED RIVER.—VALE, TO-DAY at NOON from Ballast Wharf, Pyrmont R. Langley, Sussex-street.

FIRST VESSEL for TOWNSVILLE.—The Clipper Schooner LORD OF THE ISLES, A1 at Lloyd's, loading at Victoria Wharf, taking explosives. Apply to William Douglass, 65, Pitt-street, or Captain, on board.

BOATS for HIRE. J. and H. Langford, boatbuilders, off Kent-street North, Miller's Point.

BOAT GEAR, Buckets, Goosenecks, Mast Rings. A large variety for Sale. Milne Bros., 162, Sussex-street.

BALMAIN STEAM FERRY COMPANY, Limited. PICNICS AND EXCURSIONS.
The commodious Steamers of the Company are open for charter on moderate terms.
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DIVERS' Superior AIR PUMPS, with all requisites for diving, cheap. W. Robison, 67, Sussex-street.

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FOR SALE, 18ft. Centreboard BOAT, price £10. Aquatic, Herald Office. Terms if required.

FOR SALE, the 19ft. Skiff PANDORA, sails and gear complete. Apply J. F. Elliott, Elliott Bros.

FOR SALE, a splendid family Cedar SKIFF, 20ft., varnished, built by R. Grant, Botany. Also BOATS for HIRE. Apply G. Gurr, Sans Souci.

FOR SALE, 18ft. Cedar C. B. Sailing BOAT, very complete, fast; sails, gear, nearly new; also 12ft. Cedar DINGY, good order, complete. Bannister's Sheds, Woolloomooloo Bay. Cheap.

FOR SALE or CHARTER, Screw Steamer GENISTA, 51 tons register, speed 12 knots, certified to carry 350 passengers in harbour or 45 passengers at sea. PERDRIAU, WEST, and CO., Balmain.

FOR SALE, s.s. GLENELG, having just received a thorough overhaul. For particulars, apply
PORT JACKSON STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
Circular Quay.

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REPEAL OF AD VALOREM DUTIES.
500 CASES of NEW GOODS for our SUMMER TRADE OPENED, and NOW on VIEW.
Anticipating the repeal of ad valorem duties, our shipments have been so arranged as to place us in possession of our Summer imports immediately on their abrogation, and in all good time for our Summer Display. This arrangement has been so far perfected that in all our departments we are TO-DAY showing fresh new goods relieved of taxation; whilst reflecting nothing but credit from all business points of view on our Home buyers.
Our Patrons, we feel, scarcely need assuring that any advantages a free port can offer are secured to them under the CASH SYSTEM adopted at VICTORIA HOUSE, and which experience can only confirm both on the side of the Buyer as of the Seller.
THE BEST GOODS AT LOWEST PRICES have ever been offered by us, whilst keeping FAITH WITH THE PUBLIC has been the index of our business relationship.
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MANTLES.
REPEAL OF AD VALOREM DUTIES. We notify this fact with an unusual display of Novelties in this Department.
DUST MANTLES.—Our stock of Dust Mantles is larger and better assorted than ever.
For 10s 6d we are offering a nice serviceable garment
For 16s 6d, a good useful article in both plain or check, in large variety.
In higher and better numbers we have a beautiful assortment at 21s, 25s, 29s 6d.
Our best numbers are particularly nice. Colours chiefly drab and slate, in stripes, &c.
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LACE MANTLES, FICHUS, and VISITES.—These are always in favour, and, judging from the quantity of lace now being worn, these garments will hold a good position this season.
STRIPED and FANCY GRENADINE MANTLES, FICHUS, VISITES, &c. FARMER and COMPANY.

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REPEAL OF AD VALOREM DUTIES. A large shipment of Costumes for this room. Grand value. Ready-made Costumes in PRINT and CAMBRIC, striped and fancy, 12s 6d, 16s 6d, 18s 6d, 21s
ZEPHYRS, trimmed embroidery in stripes and checks, 27s 6d, 29s 6d, 35s
ZEPHYRS, in plain colours or checks. Costume complete, 45s, 50s, 3½ guineas. These prices include the bodices, which are made to measure.
WHITE MUSLIN, trimmed embroidery. Material for bodice, made complete, 3, 3½, and 4 guineas. Some really charming dresses in this class.
BENGALINE SOIE. Some French models, trimmed Velvet and Lace, exceedingly handsome.
ENGLISH and FRENCH MODELS in Silks, very handsome, and exquisite taste displayed in trimming and make.
TAILOR-MADE Costumes, for Promenade and Travelling, from 3½ guineas.
We would invite for this room special and early inspection, as the Gowns are specially choice, and are bound to command ready sale. FARMER and COMPANY.

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REPEAL of AD VALOREM DUTIES.—The revival in the demand for silks has led to the production of designs as antique as elaborate, and allowing a wide field for designers and manufacturers. We are now showing some quaint specimens in Bengaline and other makes, patterns of which we send post free to the country on application.
BENGALINE SOIE, 27in. wide, 4s 11d yard. These goods are exceedingly rich, and for style fairly carry one's ideas back a few centuries. They are singularly soft in texture, light in weight, in colours—well, indescribable—designs checked, striped, spotted, floral, &c., suitable for reception, evening, garden party, or bridesmaids' gowns, and well adapted for this climate, 4s 11d per yard. Patterns post free
FAILLE FRANCAISE. Novelties in robe lengths, with new colours, striped and surah, with new surah stripes in beautiful shades, among them Rose, Cinnamon, Marine, Heliotrope, Gobelin, Dove, Bronze, Fawn, &c., &c., 7½, 8½, 10, 12 guineas the robe length
FAILLE FRANCAISE, in the most fashionable shades, 5s 11d, 7s 6d yard
SATIN MERVEILLEUX, summer texture, all the newest shades, 4s 6d, 5s 11d yard
NOVELTIES FOR TRIMMING above, in stripes, checks, and figures, 4s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 6d, 10s 6d yard
CHECK SILKS.—New designs in Heliotrope, Fawn, Blue, Green, Grenat, Brown, Electric, China, black, and White, 2s 11d and 3s 11d yard
FANCY PONGEE SILKS.—A choice and varied assortment, designs and colourings curiously beautiful. Cream, White, Pink and Blue grounds, with stripes and checks of various colours, 3s 6d, 3s 11d, 4s 6d yard
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5. Canzona—"Love is a Plaintive Song" ... Sullivan — Miss GLENDENING.
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QUEEN'S FUND.—WAVERLEY AUXILIARY.
A Grand Vocal and Instrumental CONCERT will be given on WEDNESDAY, October 12, in the Athenæum Hall, Ebley-street, Waverley, under the patronage and in the presence of the Hon. Lady Carrington, the Right Worshipful the Mayor of Sydney (A. J. Riley, Esq., M.L.A.), and the Mayoress (Mrs. Riley).
The following ladies and gentlemen have most generously acceded to the request of the committee, and kindly placed their services at their disposal:—Signora and Signor Lardelli, Mrs. Innes, Miss Eaton, Miss Dottie Schneider, Messrs. Andrew Fairfax, H. B. Brewer, W. Macpherson, and D. G. Fletcher.
A Choir from the Waverley Public School will sing various selections, under the leadership of Mr. D. W. Harrison.
Tickets, two shillings each, may be had from any of the committee or local shopkeepers.
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1.—JUVENILE STAKES
of 100 sovs. For two-year-olds. Colts, 8st.; fillies and geldings, 7st. 9lb. Winner of any prize exceeding £100 in value to carry 7lb. extra. 5 furlongs.
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Members are admitted free to the Ground and Reserves upon all occasions.
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JAS. MACINTOSH, Hon. Sec.

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The Annual PICNIC of the German Association will be held at Mr. F. Smith's well-known Sir Joseph Banks Hotel, Botany, on MONDAY, October 17, 1887. Dancing in the large pavilion.
Full German Band. Races for numerous and valuable prizes. Tickets, 2s; Children half price.

Y. M. C. A. ANNUAL EXCURSION.
PEARL BAY.
PRINCE WALES' BIRTHDAY.
ATHLETIC SPORTS
and Display by Members of Gymnasium under Mr. G. W. Renshaw. Tickets, 2s each. DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM GRAND ATHLETIC DISPLAY
by Members of the above, under Mr. G. W. Renshaw, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 8 p.m.
His Honor Sir F. M. DARLEY, Chief Justice, in the chair.
Reserved Seats and Gallery, 2s.; Back Seats, 1s.
DAVID WALKER, General Secretary.

BOTANY-STREET WESLEYAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.
PICNIC at PEARL BAY, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1887.
Steamer will leave Woolloomooloo at 9 a.m.; Circular Quay, foot of Phillip-street, at 10.30 a.m. and 2 p.m.; returning at 6 and 6.15 p.m.
Tickets, 1s 6d each; children, 1s.

JUVENILE Singing Class Saturday next, 10.30 a.m., Mr. Boyle's residence, 11, Queen-st., Woollahra. 10s 6d quarter. Boys and girls.

DRAMATIC ELOCUTION, RECITATION, &c. Very successful Tutor gives Private INSTRUCTION. Write first, Dens, Herald.

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FIFTH WEEK and CONTINUED BRILLIANT SUCCESS of Mr. Geo. RIGNOLD RIGNOLD RIGNOLD.
With regard to the present programme the Management beg to call attention to the fact that an opportunity is afforded to the play-going community of forming an unbiassed opinion as to that peculiar excellence and touch of nature possessed by the elder dramatists as compared when placed in juxtaposition to those of the present day. The question has arisen, amongst the cognoscenti and others devoted to the study of art, as to whether, with the advance of time, we are progressing in dramatic literature.
The Management, therefore, have determined, with the assistance of a discriminating public, to solve this problem, and as a fitting instrument to effect this purpose, the drama of Black-Eyed Susan—evergreen, perennial in pathos, and replete with human sentiment of the highest form—has been placed before them; and there is little doubt that Mr. Douglas Jerrold's BEAUTIFUL and POETICAL DRAMA must take as high a position as ever when compared with the matter-of-fact and somewhat prosaic nautical drama of the present day.
The Sydney REFEREE says:—
"The element of human nature in it has kept it sweet through all the changes of time and fashion. It would not be easy to find a prettier piece, and certainly it is so well played and so well mounted at Her Majesty's Theatre as to deserve a renewal of public patronage. Mr. Rignold's William is a very attractive and a very sterling performance."
Notwithstanding the success of the charming comedy "Alone," and the popular nautical drama, "Black-eyed Susan," they must be POSITIVELY WITHDRAWN after FRIDAY NEXT, owing to prior arrangements.
THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING, October 8,
LAST SIX NIGHTS of ALONE.
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Colonel Challice ... ... Mr. GEO. RIGNOLD.
LAST SIX NIGHTS of BLACK-EYED SUSAN.
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William ... ... Mr. GEO. RIGNOLD.
Supported by the full strength of HER MAJESTY'S DRAMATIC COMPANY.
SATURDAY NEXT, October 15,
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The HYGINX of the above Club will take place on WEDNESDAY, October 12, at the NEW MASONIC HALL, Castlereagh-street.
A limited number of extra tickets—gentlemen, 10s; ladies, 5s—may be obtained by members from the President, G. W. Tate, Esq., 158, Sussex-street, the Board of Management; or MAITLAND E. S. WHYSALL, Hon. Secretary, 262, Sussex-street.

NEW SOUTH WALES MISSION TO THE BLIND.—Instituted 1877.
THE THIRD ANNUAL SOCIAL GATHERING of the BLIND of Sydney and Suburbs, will take place (n.v.) at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 13th, 1887.
CONCERT to commence at 8 o'clock punctually.
The Chairman, Instrumentalists, and Vocalists will all be sightless. The Brass Band of the Industrial Blind Institution will also be in attendance.
On behalf of the Committee.
MARY E. PRESCOTT, Hon. Corr. Sec.

EUPHONIC ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY (established June 5, 1872).—Mr. HENRY GRAHAM presents his compliments to the members and friends who kindly took part in the Jubilee Concert on Wednesday Evening, 5th instant, the great success attained being the result of the constant and regular attendance at practice and rehearsals previous thereto.
Members are also reminded that there will be a General MEETING Next WEDNESDAY EVENING, 12th instant, when practice will be resumed with new music, and new members enrolled. N.B.—Committee Meeting after practice.

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GRAND BOXING CONTEST to a FINISH, for the MIDDLE-WEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.
PROFESSOR M'CARTHY versus JIM NOLAN.
Admission, 2s 6d.
COMMENCE at EIGHT.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S GROUND, MOORE PARK.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1887.
ART UNION PRIZES VALUE £200.
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DRUIDS' GRAND GALA HANDICAP, 150yds. All comers. First prize, £10; second, £4; third, £2
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HANDICAP QUOIT MATCH, 18yds., 4lb. quoits. First prize, £2 10s; second, £1 10s; third, 10s
HALF-MILE HANDICAP FLAT RACE. All comers. First prize, £3; second, £1 10s.
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NATIONAL DANCING.
Prizes will be given for the following events:—Highland Fling (males), Irish Jig, Highland Fling (girls), Clog Dance, Sailors' Hornpipe (boys), Sword Dance, Sailors' Hornpipe (males).
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HARBOUR LIGHTS
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THE MANAGERS are bringing all all the resources of their unequalled staff into requisition, and every effort will be made to render this the MOST PERFECT DRAMATIC PRODUCTION ever witnessed in Sydney.
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ANNUAL EXCURSION to CHOWDER BAY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.
Steamers will leave Floating Jetty, foot of Phillip-street, 9.30, 10, and 11.30 a.m., and 1.30 p.m. returning at 4.30, 5.30, and 6.30. Tea provided for visitors.
Tickets—Adults, 1s 6d; children under 12, 1s.
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TO-MORROW (Sunday) EVENING, at 7.30,
A GRAND SACRED AND CLASSICAL CONCERT by the combined artists of the Alhambra and Royal Standard Theatres, numbering 18, and the orchestra, numbering 16.
Total 34. Total 34.
Under the conductorship of Mr. Chas. Austin.
PROGRAMME.
1. Overture—Lucretia ... Orchestra
2. Martial song—"The Rolling of the Drums" ... Mr. F. Meyers
3. Ballad—"The last Watch" ... Mr. E. Lawler
4. Ballad—"Only a little pair of Shoes" ... Miss Marie Mackay
5. Nautical song—"Dublin Bay" ... Mr. H. Barrington
6. Ballad—"Star of Love" ... Mr. Percy Shannon (First appearance.)
7. Ballad—"I am a simple Peasant Maid" ... Miss Mary Melville
8. Ballad—"The Silent Heroes" ... Mr. J. S. Porter
9. Ballad—"Going to Market" ... Miss Beatrice James
10. Descriptive tenor song—"The Death of Nelson" ... Mr. W. Ryan
11. Baritone song—"Romany Lass" ... Mr. Shaw Cross (First appearance.)
12. Cornet solo ... Mr. Jeffkins
13. Ballad—"There's none can compare" ... Miss Amy Morrell
14. Ballad—"Pilgrim of Love" ... Mr. E. Phillips
15. Baritone song—"The Mountebank" ... Mr. E. Holland (First appearance.)
16. Ballad—"This is Love" ... Miss Annetta Scasi
17. Ballad—"Blind Man's Holiday" ... Mr. Frank Phillips (First appearance.)
18. Ballad—"Forget Me Not" ... Miss Florence Schuler
19. Ballad—"When the Corn is Waving, Annie, dear" ... Mr. H. Clay (First appearance.)
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Sittings as usual.

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PROGRAMME.
1. Overture—"Poet and Peasant" ... Orchestra
2. Martial Song—"Storming the Breach" ... Mr. E. Meyers
3. Tenor Song—"A Vision" ... Mr. E. Lawler
4. Ballad—"I dream't, my Little Boy, of Thee" ... Miss Marie Mackay
5. Nautical Song—"Sailor's Life" ... Mr. H. Barrington
6. Tenor Song—"Star of Love" (first appearance) ... Mr. Percy Shannon
7. Ballad—"Dashing White Sarjeant" ... Miss May Melville
8. Ballad—"The Silent Heroes" ... Mr. J. S. Porter
9. Ballad—"On Billows Rocking" ... Miss Beatrice James
10. Martial Song—"Hark the Drum" ... Mr. W. Ryan
11. Baritone Song—"Romney Lass" (first appearance) ... Mr. Shaw Cross
12. Grand March—"The Hunters" ... Orchestra
13. Ballad—"No One can gainsay it" ... Miss Amy Morrell
14. Ballad—"The Maid of the Mill" ... Mr. E. Phillips
15. Baritone Song—"The Mountebank" (first appearance) ... Mr. E. Holland
16. Ballad—"She wandered down the Mountain Side" ... Miss Annetta Scasi
17. Ballad—"The Blind Man's Holiday" (first appearance) ... Mr. Frank Phillips
18. Ballad—"White Wings" ... Miss Florence Schuler
19. Ballad—"When the Corn is Waving, Annie Dear" (first appearance) ... Mr. H. Clay
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Grounds, 1s. Children free.

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Religious Announcements.

ANNANDALE Hunter-Baillie Memorial Church.—Rev. J. T. Robertson, M.A., Melb., 11; Rev. P. Mackenzie, 7.

ASHFIELD Presbyterian Church.—Rev. John Auld, M.A., To-morrow, at 11. The Rev. Jas. T. Robertson, M.A. (Melbourne), will deliver a lecture, SPECIALLY TO YOUNG MEN, in the evening, at 7, on "CHARACTER."

BALMAIN Congregational Church.—The Rev. A. J. Griffith will Preach TO-MORROW, Morning and Evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH, BATHURST-ST.—To-morrow, Rev. Charles Bright, morning 11, and evening 7.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Oddfellows' Hall, Woollahra. Rev. D. Davis, children's service, 11; evening, 7.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. JAMES HILL, M.A., morning and evening.

BOURKE-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—Rev. W. H. Hall, B.A., 11 a.m.; Rev. J. S. Austin, 7 p.m.

BURWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Osborne, M.A., To-morrow, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. DAVID SMITH, M.A., 11 and 7.

CHRISTIANS MEET to Break Loaf 11, Gospel 7, Protestant Hall, Myrtle-street, Darlington.

CROYDON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—TO-MORROW, Rev. W. MATHISON, B.A., 11 and 7.

CENTRAL Methodist Mission, Kent-st.—11, Mr. Theo. Northcott; 7, Rev. J. Bowring, "The Folly of Atheism." Consecration Meeting To-night.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Petersham.
SUNDAY SERVICES held in Town Hall, pro tem.
TO-MORROW, at 11 and 7, Rev. JOSEPH ROBERTSON, M.A.
Evening Subject—"Justification."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN.
SUNDAY EVENING LECTURES to YOUNG MEN by the Rev. WARLOW DAVIES, M.A. "LESSONS from the LIFE OF JOSEPH."
No. 10, Conclusion, To-morrow, "SUNSET."

CHRIST CHURCH, SYDNEY.
SUNDAY, 9th OCTOBER, 1887.
Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; 11.45 a.m. (Choral).
Matins, 10.30 a.m., preacher Rev. C. F. Garnsey.
Evensong, 7 p.m., preacher Rev. A. Wheeler.
Anthem—"O Love the Lord" (Sullivan).

CLEVELAND-STREET WESLEYAN SABBATH SCHOOL.—16th ANNIVERSARY.
TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, October 9, 1887.
Morning, at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. Austin; Evening, at 7 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Fletcher; afternoon, at 3 o'clock, A FLOWER SERVICE.
All pieces sung will relate to flowers, on which appropriate remarks will be made by Rev. J. Woolnough.
MONDAY EVENING, October 10th.
THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING.
Chair will be taken at 7.45 p.m. by N. Hollingworth, Esq.
An attractive Musical Programme will be rendered.
Conductor, Mr. J. S. Huthnance. Accompanists, Mr. G. D. Carter, Miss Smith.
W. M'EVOY, Hon. Secretary.

FREE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Kogarah.—Mr. Wood, at 11; Mr. Jackson, at 7.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. Andrew Gardiner, M.A., at 11; Rev. T. E. Owens Mell, at 7.

GLEBE WESLEYAN CHURCH.
Glebe—Rev. R. Caldwell, 11; Rev. S. H. Macdade, 7.
Camperdown—Mr. Bowmaker, 11; Rev. R. Caldwell, 7.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, St. John's-road.
SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.
To-morrow, 11—Rev. J. Buchan, M.A.
To-morrow, 3—Young People's Service—Rev. T. E. O. Mell.
To-morrow, 6—Rev. A. Gardiner, M.A.
Excursion to Corry's Gardens, October 19.

HARRIS-ST. BAPTIST Sunday School.—Anniversary Services To-morrow—11 a.m., Rev. J. Hill, M.A.; 3 p.m., Flower Service, Rev. T. S. Forsaith; 7 p.m., Rev. J. G. Wilson. Entertainment Tues., Oct. 11, scholars, friends, Tkts. 1s.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.
Morning and Evening, preacher, Rev. CECIL KING, M.A.
Afternoon, 3 p.m., Flower Service, Rev. W. A. CHARLTON.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY, BALMAIN.
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS will be taken up TO-MORROW, in aid of the Balmain Cottage Hospital, in the following Churches:—
St. Thomas', Church of England, Darling-road
St. Paul's, Presbyterian Church, Darling-road
St. Joseph's, R. C. Church, Balmain West
St. Augustine's, R. C. Church, Balmain East
Baptist Church, Mullens-street
Salvation Army Barracks.
Collections will be taken up in other churches at a later date.
JOHN CLUBB, Hon. Sec., Balmain Cottage Hospital.

MISSION CHURCH, Sussex and Liverpool streets.—Evening subject, "The Church of Christ—what is it?"

NEW CHURCH, Sydney Society.—Temperance Hall, Pitt-st. Morn., 11, Mr. Spencer; even., 7, Mr. W. Newman.

NORTH SHORE, St. Peters' Presbyterian Church.—Rev. R. Mackinnon, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN CHURCH.—To-morrow, Rev. J. H. Fletcher at 11; Rev. Charles Stead, at 7. Evening subject—"The Unreasonableness of Atheism." Earnest seekers after truth cordially invited.

OCEAN-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Woollahra.—Rev. E. Fox Thomas, 11 and 7.

PALMER-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. The Rev. J. F. Henderson will preach at 11 and 7.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Dr. Jefferis will preach morning and evening.

PRIMITIVE Methodist, St. Peters.—Rev. E. Masterman, 11 a.m.; Rev. G. Clement, just from England, 7 p.m.

PRINCES-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—11, Rev. J. Bowring; 7, Rev. S. Wilkinson, Sacrament.

PYRMONT and ULTIMO Presbyterian Church, Quarry-street.—Rev. R. S. Paterson, at 11 and 7.

PYRMONT Congregational Church.—Morning, Rev. T. E. Owens Mell; evening, Rev. James Buchan, M.A.

PRIMITIVE Methodist, Albion-street.—11, Rev. W. Woollaston (Hull), who has arrived in S.S. Liguria; 7 p.m., Evangelist Service by Revs. J. W. Holden and W. Woollaston. Rose-st., Darlington, 11, Rev. G. Smailes; 7, Rev. J. Blanksby.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH, FOREST LODGE.
ANNIVERSARY SERMONS TO-MORROW.
11 a.m. and 3 p.m., Rev. J. W. Holden.
7 p.m., Rev. G. James.
TEA MEETING TUESDAY EVENING, 6.30 to 7.30.

RANDWICK Wesleyan Church.—Rev. J. Woodhouse, 11 a.m.; Rev. W. H. Hall, B.A., 7 p.m.

REDFERN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—To-morrow morn., Rev. G. Campbell; eve., Rev. W. F. L. Close.

ST. ALBAN'S, Golden Grove.—Service 11 a.m., Rev. J. Barnier; 7 p.m., Rev. B. Stephens.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church-hill.—Morning, 11, Rev. W. E. H. Percival; Evening 7, Rev. W. A. Charlton.

ST. Simon and St. Jude's, Campbell-st., Surry Hills.—"Free Grace," 11 and 7 (D.V.). Rev. J. G. Southby.

ST. STEPHEN'S, Phillip-street.—The Rev. Dr. Steel will preach TO-MORROW, at 11 and 7.

SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. DILL MACKY, 11 a.m., 7 p.m.
Subjects: Morning, "Waiting upon God." Evening, Review of Mr. Ryan's Sermon continued—"Apostolic Succession."

SPIRITUALISTIC ASSOCIATION of N.S.W.—Service at West's Academy TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Inquirers invited. Flower and Naming Service on Sunday, 16th inst. J. Walter Small, Hon. Sec., Terry-st., Balm'n.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. ALEX. MILLER, M.A., will Preach To-morrow—morning and evening. Subjects: 11 a.m., "God's Glory in the Heavens"; 7 p.m., "Many Crowns."

ST. BARNABAS' SCHOOLS' FESTIVAL, CLONTARF.
WEDNESDAY, 12th October. Steamers leave Circular Quay 9, 10, 10.20, 11. Tickets 2s each.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Paddington.—The Rev. Dr. GILCHRIST will preach TO-MORROW MORNING, and in the EVENING deliver the third of a course of LECTURES on "HUMAN LIFE." Subject—"Childhood and Education."

SYDNEY EVANGELISTIC MISSION, Old Masonic Hall, York-street, opposite Markets.
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ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.
18TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.
HOLY COMMUNION, 8 a.m., and after Morning Service.
Preachers—11 a.m., Rev. C. S. Hawken, B.A., Minor Canon.
3.15 p.m., the Venerable Archdeacon of Camden.
7.30 p.m., the Precentor.
HOLY BAPTISM—SUNDAY, 4.30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m. punctually.

SUMMER HILL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Sunday School Anniversary Services To-morrow.
Morning, 11 a.m.—Rev. Dr. Jefferis
Afternoon, 3 p.m., Rev. W. J. L. Close—Flower Service
Evening, 7 p.m.—Rev. George Campbell
Wednesday, October 12, Annual Excursion to Orchardleigh. Special trains leaves Petersham at 9.39 a.m., calling at Summer Hill and Ashfield. Tickets One Shilling and Sixpence. Children under 12, One Shilling.

THE TABERNACLE, Metropolitan-road, Tram Terminus, Newtown.—Mr. WILLIAM HOUCHINS, the popular Evangelist, from America, will D.V. preach at 7 p.m. to-morrow. Subject: "Objections to us as a People."

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Liverpool-st., Hyde Park. Minister: Rev. E. R. GRANT.
Subjects for To-morrow: At 11 a.m., "Is the Universe Good?" at 7 p.m., "Moments and Ages of Evolution."

WAVERLEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Arthur T. Collier, Morning at 11, Evening at 7.

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-street.—Morning 11, Sermon to the young; evening, 7, Rev. R. Sellors, D.D.

WESLEYAN, Stanmore.—Rev. G. Martin, 11; Rev. B. J. Meek, 7. Leichhardt—Rev. J. H. Lewin, 11; Mr. W. R. Reynolds, 7. Marrickville—Mr. Reynolds, 11; Rev. J. H. Lewin, 7.

Y.M.C.A.—Gospel SERVICE for Young Men, in large hall, Sankey's Hymns, large choir.

Y.M.C.A.—BIBLE CLASS TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 3 p.m. Strangers invited.

Y.M.C.A.—Young Men's MEETING THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 7.15. Strangers invited.

ASSOCIATION OF LAY HELPERS.
The Rev. A. R. BARTLETT will continue his course of LECTURES on the Acts of the Apostles, in the Chapter House, every TUESDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
Subject for 11th October: "Saul of Tarsus."

LADIES' Evangelistic Association.—MEETING on WEDNESDAY next, at the Temperance Hall, at 3 p.m. All are welcome. An account of the Bible Women's work and other work will be given.

SMALL Church-built HALL, 2 entrances, stage, piano, vacant for services, &c. 177A, Liverpool-st., near church.

NOTICE.
A Special General MEETING of the Parishioners of St. Matthias' Church, Paddington, which the Churchwardens have been requested to convene, will be held in the School Hall, on MONDAY, the 24th October, at 8 p.m., to take into consideration the financial condition of the Church, with the view of devising means for liquidating its liabilities. The attendance of every parishioner is urgently solicited.
BOLES R. RAINSFORD, WILLIAM HOLMES, EDWARD HAWLEY } Churchwardens.

SUMMER HILL BRANCH WOMEN'S PRAYER UNION, every Monday, at 3 p.m., in St. Andrew's Schoolroom, Henson-street. All Christian women invited.
M. DANIEL, Hon. Sec.

ST. SIMON and St. JUDE'S CHURCH, Campbell-st., Surry Hills.
The ANNUAL TEA MEETING will (D.V.) be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 11.
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Post ENTRIES for the Matches at the approaching PRIZE MEETING, at 25 per cent. advance on rates named in the Programme, will be received until SATURDAY, 15th instant.
The Secretary will attend at the Pavilion, on the Rifle Range, THIS AFTERNOON, and on SATURDAY the 15th, when entries can be made.
W. FOSKETT, Secretary.

FIRST REGIMENT V. I.—Privates' first annual SOCIAL, Tattersall's Rooms, FRIDAY, October 21. Uniform to be worn. Double tickets, 5s.
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Meetings.

ST. MAGDALEN'S REFUGE FOR WOMEN, TEMPE, COOK'S RIVER.
The new buildings erected at Tempe in connection with the above institution will be formally opened THIS DAY, Saturday, 8th October, at 3 p.m., by his Eminence Cardinal Moran, Archbishop of Sydney.
His Excellency the Governor and Lady Carrington have kindly signified their intention to be present on the occasion.
All friends of the institution are earnestly invited to attend, and to assist in liquidating the debt incurred in the erection of the new buildings.

IN response to the numerously signed requisition, I hereby call a Public MEETING of the Ratepayers and Residents of East St. Leonards, at the Town-hall, East St. Leonards on MONDAY, the 10th instant, at 8 p.m.
Business:—To protest against the present fares charged on the North Shore Cable Tramway.
N. M'BURNEY, Mayor of East St. Leonards.

THE OPENING OF GOULBURN-STREET WEST THROUGH TO DARLING HARBOUR.
Those favourable to the above are invited to attend a MEETING on TUESDAY next, October 11th, at 3.30 p.m., at the Rooms of Messrs. Lenehan and Co., 41, Goulburn-street.
C. H. LENEHAN, Sec. pro tem.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.
The Adjourned Annual General MEETING of Members will be held at Aaron's Exchange Hotel on 10th instant, at 8 o'clock p.m.
DAVID W. GREGORY, Hon. Secretary.

I.O.O.F., WILLIAM GANE LODGE, No. 5., Newtown.—MEMBERS are reminded that next lodge night, MONDAY, October 10, is a Summons Meeting to consider the report of the Building Committee and other business. All members are requested to attend.
S. NEWTON, Sec.

COLONIAL SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at noon on MONDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at the Company's Offices, O'Connell-street.
By order of the Board,
EDWD. W. KNOX, General Manager.
O'Connell-street, Sydney, October 8, 1887.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
NOTICE is hereby given that the HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Proprietors will be held at the Chief Banking-house, George-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 31st day of OCTOBER instant, at noon, to consider the Report of the Board of Directors to be then made, to elect a Director in the room of THOMAS CADELL, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in the room of GEORGE MONTAGUE MERIVALE and JAMES START HARRISON, Esquires, who retire at this time, the latter being eligible for re-election; and to consider such other matters and things as may then be brought forward, in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors,
GEORGE MILLER, General Manager.
By the 45th Clause of the Deed of Settlement, it is provided that every proprietor who shall become a candidate for the office of Director shall give notice thereof to the Board of Directors, in writing, at least fourteen days before the day of election.
Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, 7th October, 1887.

THE UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held in the Company's Offices, corner of George and Hunter streets, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 26th October, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the report of the directors for the year ending 30th September, 1887.
To elect a director in the room of Samuel Dickinson, Esq., who retires by rotation, and is eligible for re-election; and two auditors in the room of Messrs. F. T. Watkins and J. B. C. Miles, the latter of whom was appointed in lieu of Hon. J. F. Burns, M.L.A., resigned, and
To transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board,
THOMAS M. TINLEY, Manager.
Sydney, 7th October, 1887.
Candidates for the vacant seats in the direction are required to give 14 days' notice thereof in writing.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Society will be held in the Society's Office, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, October 26th, 1887, at 4 o'clock, to adopt the new and amended rules, and at 5 o'clock the Nineteenth Annual Meeting will be holden for the purpose of receiving the Report and Balance-sheet for the year ending 30th September, 1887; for the Election of one Director in the place of William Hughes, Esq., J.P., who retires by rotation, but who is eligible for re-election; and two Auditors; and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
Shareholders having the requisite qualifications desiring to become candidates for any of the above offices, must give fourteen days' notice in writing to the Manager at the Society's Office.
By order of the Board of Directors,
EDWARD JOSEPH RUBIE, Manager.
Sydney, 8th October, 1887.

ILLAWARRA STEAM N. COMPANY.
A Half-yearly General MEETING of Proprietors in this Company will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 19th October, at 11 a.m.
To receive a report from the Board, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
A. C. TURNER, Manager.
I. S. N. Company's Offices, 24th September, 1887.

OCEAN VIEW ESTATE COMPANY, Limited.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Annual General MEETING of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, No. 264, George-street (Bond-street entrance), in Sydney, on TUESDAY, 25th twenty-fifth) day of October, 1887, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the report of the Directors and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended September 30, 1887; to elect Directors in the place of Matthew Highet Lauchlan, Esquire, and Thomas Saywell, Esquire; and Auditors in the place of George Preddey, Esquire, and John F. Paige, Esquire, who retire from office, but are eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business in conformity with the articles of association. By order of the Board. DONALD CORMACK, Sec., Sydney, 5th October, 1887.

PENSHURST PARK ESTATE COMPANY, Limited.—Notice is hereby given that the Fifth Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 264, George-street (Bond-street entrance), in Sydney, on THURSDAY, the twenty-seventh day of October, 1887, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended September 30, 1887; to elect Directors in the place of Matthew Highet Lauchlan, Esq., and Patrick Ryan Larkin, Esq.; and Auditors in the place of James Robertson, Esq., and Peter Francis Fagan, Esq., who retire from office, but are eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business in conformity with the Articles of Association. By order of the Board. DONALD CORMACK, Sec. Sydney, 5th October, 1887.

HUDSONVILLE ESTATE SYNDICATE.—A final MEETING of Shareholders in this Syndicate will be held at the Offices of J. RAYNER and CO., 121, King-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 31st day of October, 1887, at 2.30 p.m.
Business: To receive final report and balance-sheet.
(Signed) JOHN RAYNER, Manager.

RUGBY ESTATE SYNDICATE.—A MEETING of Shareholders in this Syndicate will be held at the offices of J. RAYNER and CO., 121, King-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 31st day of October, 1887, at 3.30 p.m.
Business: To receive report and balance-sheet to that date, and to decide the future operations of the Syndicate.
(Signed) JOHN RAYNER, Manager.

SAYWELL'S TOBACCO COMPANY, Limited.
The ELEVENTH Half-yearly General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the offices of the company, 237 and 239, Clarence-street, on FRIDAY, October 28, 1887, at 2.30 p.m.
BUSINESS:—To receive Report and Balance-sheet, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in terms of the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
JOHN L. SALIER, Secretary.

THE AUSTRALIAN KEROSENE OIL AND MINERAL COMPANY, Limited.
The Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, 5, Gresham-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, October 25, 1887, at noon.
To receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending 30th September, 1887.
To Elect a Director in lieu of John Gilchrist, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election.
And to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in terms of the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board,
R. VERNON SADDINGTON, Secretary.
Candidates for the Office of Director are required to give seven clear days' notice thereof in writing.

OPHIR DEEP LEAD SYNDICATE, TASMANIA.—The Adjourned MEETING of Shareholders in the above Syndicate will be held at the Exchange, Bridge-street, on WEDNESDAY, October 12th, at 4.30 p.m.
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By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.
Moore-street, Sydney, 26th September, 1887.

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Mr. Williams will call at private residence of pupil and give undivided attention. Address
44, Alberto-terrace, Sydney.

NEGLECTED Education.—Ladies improved (private), by accomp. English lady; moderate. E. G., Herald Office.

NEWTOWN ACADEMY, Bligh-street, Newtown (formerly conducted by Mr. Sampson.) Quarter dates from entrance. J. GOLDEN HINSBY, C.M. (England), certificated for advanced Science, Geometry, &c., South Kens.

PARENTS and Guardians.—Lady has Vacancies Boys, educate with own. Mother's care. Moderate, Herald.

PHYSICS and Chemistry.—Wanted, Coaching Lessons by correspondence; state terms. Physics, 185, Regent-st.

PIANO Taught, easy method, quick progress. Mr. A. Read, 229, Riley-street, near Oxford-street.

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PRACTICAL Business Education, also Exams., day, evg., private. Mr. Weiss, 177A, Liverpool-st. Details posted.

PAINTING.—Miss COBBETT gives Lessons in Oil, and Water Colours, also Outdoor Sketching; Kensington certificate. Class at Randwick on Thursday afternoon. Y. W. C. A., Wynyard-square.

PAINTING (oil and water), 30s per quarter; Drawing (round or flat), Enlarging Photos. in crayon, &c., 21s per quarter. Medallist, Sydney Exhibition. Domo, Post-office, Glebe Point.

PRIVATE TUITION for all University and Public Examinations.
Terms on application.
B. A., c.o. W. H. Traill, Orient-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney.

PESTALOZZI COLLEGE FOR GIRLS, STARGUARD HOUSE, PICTON.
VACANCIES for boarders; terms moderate; thorough English, French, German, high-class music, drawing, &c.
For particulars apply to
THE PRINCIPAL (Madlle. Peyreck).

PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR BOYS, BERONE, KOGARAH.
Quarter commences from date of entrance.
Terms (for thorough English, board, and washing): Eleven Guineas a quarter.
This School is situated about seven minutes' run by the Sans Souci tram from Kogarah Railway Station. Its rooms are large and airy, and its grounds are extensive, being over 50 acres in area. A liberal table is kept. In addition to a sound education, pupils can enjoy the advantages of instruction in swimming (sea bathing), boating, riding, and athletics.
Particulars on application to Principal.

RIVIERE COLLEGE, Woollahra.—Principals, the Misses HALL. Studies were resumed October 4.

SHORTHAND Department, Church of England Grammar School, Church Hill. Terms, &c., posted on application.

SIGNORA BARATY, Teacher Singing, Piano, Organ. Last quarter, quarter by entrance.

SIGNOR VITTORINI (pupil of the famous Lamberti, Milan), Professor Singing, Piano. Elvy's, Paling's.

SINGING and Piano.—Mrs. J. A. Dobbie, 104, Darlinghurst-rd. Special lessons, singing at sight, and accompanying.

SUMMER HILL.—Day or Evening.—Gen. Eng. Edu., French, Bookk'g. Mr. Leslie, Woodbourne, Kensington-rd.

SUTTON FOREST.—Lady will receive two little Girls to Board and Educate. Apply Mrs. H. J. St. John.

SIGNOR ALFONSO FAGNOTTI, Soloist, Flautist at Miss Amy Sherwin's Concert Company, Teacher Flute (in all systems) and Oboe. 13, Wellington-street, Newtown, one minute from train, 'bus, or tram.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL SCHOOL.
Under the direction of the Cathedral Chapter.
The NEXT QUARTER COMMENCES on MONDAY, OCTOBER 10.
ARTHUR R. RIVERS, M.A., Head Master.

TWO Ladies, residing in the country, would be glad to receive children, either boys or girls, to board and educate. Terms, strictly moderate. Address Home, Orange Grove, Cabramatta.

TEACHING, Coaching; day, evening; visit, receive. Private Night-school for boys. Tutor, 40, Lower Fort-street.

TWO VACANCIES occur this month in Bruce's Select Writing Classes, conducted at 61, Castlereagh-street.

THE SCHOOL, MOUNT VICTORIA.
A Boarding School for Boys, limited to 60; present number 50.
Healthy climate, liberal table, regular lessons.
The course of study is that prescribed for the Civil Service Examination, and includes Bookkeeping.
SPECIAL ATTENTION paid to Writing, Spelling, Composition, and Arithmetic. All boys learn Drill and Dancing.
Terms, inclusive of washing, mending, &c., £11 11s a quarter. Quarter's date from day of entrance.
H. G. RIENITS, Principal.

THE QUEEN'S SCHOOL, MACLEAY-STREET, SYDNEY.
Boys are prepared for the Universities, for the Public Examinations, and for Commercial Pursuits.
Since the opening of the School, in January, 1884, SIXTY-FOUR Pupils have passed their respective examinations at the University, six having been successful during the present year.
Next Quarter will commence on MONDAY, October 3.
There will be a few vacancies, for which early application is requested.
Full prospectus and Examiners' report on application.
J. NEALE DALTON, Head Master.

THE LONDON SCIENTIFIC DRESS-CUTTING ASSOCIATION.—Scientific Dressmaking CLASSES, comprising lessons in Cutting, Fitting, Draping, Trimming, and Making-up will meet daily, from 10 till 1 and 2 till 5 o'clock, at Mutual-chambers, 127, King-street. Conducted by Mrs. MACDONALD, Certificated Teacher, from the Scientific Dress-cutting Association, London, and their Sole Agent for Sydney. In addition to teaching above system, the business of Dress and Mantle Making will be carried on by Mrs. Macdonald, who will personally cut each article of dress on the scientific system, and will also personally superintend the making-up of same. First-class hands only will be employed in this department, and Mrs. Macdonald trusts the ladies of Sydney and surrounding districts may favour her with a share of their patronage.

UNIVERSITY Exams.—COACH, experienced matric., &c. Classes 30s per quarter. Domo, P. O., Glebe Point.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.
FACULTY OF LAW.
MICHAELMAS TERM.
The following courses of LECTURES will be delivered in the Supreme Court:—
1. A course of Lectures on "Real Property," on MONDAY EVENINGS, at 5 o'clock, commencing October 10. Lecturer, Mr. A. C. Wylie.
2. A course of Lectures on "Torts," on WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, at 5 o'clock, commencing October 12. Lecturer, Mr. W. H. Coffey, B.A., LL.B.
3. A course of Lectures on the "Law of Evidence," on FRIDAY EVENINGS, at 5 o'clock, commencing October 14. Lecturer, Mr. W. Edmunds, M.A., LL.B.
The fee for attendance upon each course is £1 1s.
Cards for admission may be obtained from Messrs. Turner and Henderson, Hunter-street, or from Mr. C. F. Maxwell, Wentworth-court.
H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

VIOLIN TAUGHT.—Mr. BUNZ gives instruction at Taylor's Music Warehouse, Royal Arcade, Sydney. Mod.

VIOLIN and VIOLA.—Mr. WEBER receives Pupils, 1 guinea, open for engagement. 105, Gloucester-st., Syd.

WANTED, Tuition in Theory and Cornet from a comp. man, Balmain prefd. Terms, &c., to Cornet, Herald.

WINDSOR GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
The largest private Boarding School in the colony. For terms, &c., apply to to Rev. B. KEENAN, Head-master.

Y.M.C.A. GYMNASIUM.
AFTERNOON AND EVENING CLASSES in full working order. Quarter dates from any month. LADIES' and JUVENILE CLASSES, under the charge of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Renshaw. Prospectuses furnished.
DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

A GENTLEMAN'S private Boarding SCHOOL for SALE. Full particulars, 229, Riley-street.

TEACHERS forming Classes offered large central Room (60 feet), seated, lighted, piano, low rent. Dox, Herald.

Public Notices.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CONDITIONAL PUBLICAN'S LICENSE.
I, JOSEPH ROBINS, of Corso, Manly, do hereby give notice that I desire to obtain, and will at the next Licensing Court, to be holden at Sydney, on the 18th day of October, 1887, apply for a Certificate authorising the issue of a CONDITIONAL PUBLICAN'S LICENSE for a house to be erected on the Greendale Estate, situate on the road to Narrabeen, Pittwater, and Newport, three and a half miles from Manly, to contain eight rooms exclusive of those required for the use of the family, and to be erected in accordance with plans lodged herewith.
Dated this 1st day of October, 1887.
Address: Manly. (Signed) JOSEPH ROBINS.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of JOHN W. M'GINNESS, of George-street, Sydney.
All CLAIMS against the above Estate must be rendered immediately to the undersigned.
SCOULLER and ROBERTSON, Accountants and Trade Assignees, Wynyard-street.
Sydney, October 7, 1887.

SAYWELL'S TOBACCO COMPANY, Limited.
The SHARE REGISTER of the Company will be CLOSED for Transfers from 14th to 28th October inclusive.
JOHN L. SALIER, Secretary.

DOG REGISTRATION.—Owners are reminded that the time expired—only a few days of grace left. Register at once.
CROFTS, 95, William-street, near Crown-street.

EYE, Ear, and Throat Specialist.—Dr. Schwarzbach, 151, Macquarie-street. Hours: 10 to 1, and at 3 p.m.

THE NEW BATHS, 286, George-street, one door north of Hunter-street, are open daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Hot, Cold, and shower. Charge, 1s.
S. COHEN, Tobacconist and Stick Importer.
Just opened, 4 cases Sticks, containing 2000, ex Lusitania.

JAMES MOIR AND CO., Stock, Station, and General Commission Agents, 58, Margaret-street, Sydney.
Liberal Advances made on STATIONS and STOCK; also, on WOOL, TALLOW, HIDES, and COLONIAL PRODUCE consigned to them for sale or shipment.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, Wool and Produce Brokers, FAT STOCK SALESMEN, Stock and Station Agents, Grain and Metal Brokers.
OFFICE and STORES—Circular Quay, Sydney.
Liberal advances, if required, made on all Produce or Stock consigned to us.

MORT'S WOOL WAREHOUSES, Sydney.
LIBERAL ADVANCES made on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, WHEAT, TIN ORE, and other Produce, for SALE or SHIPMENT.
MORT and CO., Limited, Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay and Darling Harbour, Sydney.

THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK.
Incorporated by Act of Council, 1853.
A BRANCH of this Bank is NOW OPEN at CROYDON GOLD FIELDS, Northern Queensland, for the transaction of all usual banking business.
By order of the Board,
FRANCIS ADAMS, General Manager.
Sydney, October 5, 1887.

CITY COAL COMPANY.
Branches at Engine-street, Haymarket; Newtown; Marrickville; Petersham; Ashfield; Burwood; Parramatta.
Best MOUNTAIN COAL, 13s 6d per ton at the depots.
Best NEWCASTLE COAL, 21s per ton at the depots.
FIREWOOD, BREEZE, &c., at lowest rates.
G. M. SMYTH, Manager.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.
ADVANCES MADE on STATIONS and STOCK, also on WOOL and OTHER PRODUCE for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to London.
ALL STATION REQUISITES SUPPLIED.
DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited, 5, Bent-street, Sydney, and Watt-street, Newcastle; and at London, Melbourne, Geelong, Dunedin, and Christchurch.

ENGLISH AGENCY.—The undersigned, established in London upwards of twenty years, confine themselves exclusively to a general Commission Business; are well acquainted with Australian requirements, and possess special facilities for purchasing goods to the best advantage in the English markets.
Indents should be accompanied by cash remittances or bank letters of credit, to ensure full trade discounts. Account sales of produce under consignment rendered promptly, and net proceeds invested to order, every attention being devoted to the eligible shipment and insurance of all goods passing through their hands.
R. S. LLOYD and CO., No. 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, London.

EMPRESS of India CURRY POWDER secured at Calcutta the only gold medal ever awarded for CURRY.

HOGG'S Empress BAKING POWDER has secured another FIRST PRIZE at Adelaide Exhibition.

Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.
Ratepayers are informed that the new by-laws under the Municipalities Act and Nuisances Prevention Act can be seen at the Town-hall daily.
P. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.
October 6, 1887.

BOROUGH OF MACDONALDTOWN.
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.
SUMMONSES are about to be issued (indiscriminately) for the recovery of all outstanding Rates and all moneys due under the Nuisances Prevention Act.
By order of the Mayor,
WILLIAM F. BRAY, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, September 30, 1887.

BOROUGH OF RANDWICK.
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.
Summonses are about to be issued (indiscriminately) for the recovery of all outstanding RATES and all MONIES due under the Nuisances Prevention Act.
By order of the Mayor,
CECIL W. R. BEDFORD, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Randwick, October 4.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

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Tenders.

AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.

ANNUAL SUPPLIES AND SERVICES.

TENDERS addressed to the Secretary will be received at this Office until noon of MONDAY, the 31st instant, for the undermentioned Supplies and Services required by the Australian Gaslight Company during the year 1888, viz. :—

COAL
CANNEL
IRONMONGERY GOODS
TIMBER
GENERAL CARTAGE, Sydney and Suburbs
CARTAGE from MORTLAKE
GENERAL LIGHTERAGE
LIGHTERAGE OF REFUSE, ASHES, &c.
STATIONERY.

Specifications, conditions, and forms of tender for all but the stationery can be obtained at the Engineer's Office, Gasworks, Sydney; that for the stationery at the Company's Office in Kent-street, Sydney.

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, 1st October, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.

TENDERS addressed to the Secretary will be received at this office until noon of Monday, 31st instant, from persons willing to Purchase the Sulphate of Ammonia manufactured by the company during the year 1888.

Specifications and further information may be had on application to Engineer, Gasworks, Sydney.

W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, October 6, 1887.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.

TENDERS are invited for the the following Works till TUESDAY, the 18th instant, 7 p.m. :—

1. Forming and Ballasting Bligh-street
2. Excavating and Forming northern end of Carabella-street
3. Forming and Ballasting Peel-street and eastern end of Pitt-street
4. Forming Willoughby-street on the northern side from Brisbane-street to Alfred-street
5. Levelling, Filling over Culvert near Mount-street
6. Excavating bed of main sewer from Alfred-street to Little Arthur-street.

Plans and specifications to be seen at Town Hall daily.

P. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.

October 7, 1887.

BOROUGH OF GRANVILLE.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS and OTHERS.

OFFERS are invited up to noon of WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, from persons willing to Sell to this council, as a site for a Town Hall, a piece of LAND, in a prominent position in Granville, with a frontage of not less than 100 feet and a depth of not less than 150 feet. Tenderers are to furnish price and title.

Tenders are to be addressed to the Mayor, and endorsed "Tenders for Town-hall Site."

ANDREW I. LIDDELL, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Granville, 1st October, 1887.

BOROUGH OF MACDONALDTOWN.

LEASE OF TOLL BAR.

TENDERS will be received until 6 p.m. on MONDAY, 10th October instant, for Leasing the Toll Bar, Macdonaldtown, for the term of Twelve Calendar Months.

Specification may be seen, and all other information obtained, on application to the undersigned.

Tenders to be properly endorsed, and addressed to the Mayor.

WILLIAM F. BRAY, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, Oct. 1st, 1887.

BATH, COOGEE BAY.

TENDERS are invited up to TUESDAY, the 11th instant, at 7 p.m., for Excavating the Shale to form Baths.

Specification can be seen at the Town Hall during office hours, to where tenders are to be sent, under cover, endorsed "Tenders for Baths."

CECIL W. E. BEDFORD, Council Clerk.

Town Hall, Randwick, October 4, 1887.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.

TENDERS are invited up to 4 p.m., on MONDAY, 10th October:—

For Forming Marshall-street
For Forming Canonbury-grove.

Specifications can be seen daily on application at Town-hall, Illawarra-road.

GEORGE E. GILL, Council Clerk.

Town Hall, Marrickville, October 6, 1887.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.

TENDERS will be received up till 8 p.m. on Tuesday, 11th instant, for Building Rubble-retaining Walls, in Sutherland-lane, Glen-street, and Quarry-road.

Specifications may be seen upon application to the undersigned.

GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, 4th October, 1887.

BOROUGH OF RANDWICK.

TENDERS are invited for Culvert for drainage purposes.

Plan and specification can be seen on application to the undersigned during office hours, to whom tenders are to be sent, under cover, endorsed "Tender for culvert," before 7 p.m. on Tuesday, the 11th October.

CECIL W. E. BEDFORD, Council Clerk and Engineer.

Town Hall, Randwick, September 30, 1887.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

TENDERS are required for Purchasing, Pulling Down, and Clearing Away House at DARLING HARBOUR. Apply

JOHN B. SPENCER, Architect, 56, Sydney Arcade.

ESTATE H. B. DONALDSON, Deceased.

TENDERS will be received until the 15th day of October for the Purchase of the Business lately carried on by Mr. H. B. Donaldson, deceased, at Port Melbourne (Sandridge), with great success for about 30 years as Shipchandler, Provision Merchant, &c.

The stock was recently valued for probate, and consists of the various goods usually held by a shipchandler.

Existing Government contracts will be included in the sale of the business.

Full particulars as to the stock, Government contracts, and terms can be obtained by principals only on application to the Manager of the Perpetual Executors' and Trustees' Association of Australia, Limited, No. 55, Queen-street, Melbourne, to whom tenders should be addressed.

The store can be purchased, or leased with the option of purchase, by the successful tenderer.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of J. J. RYAN, of 760 and 762, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

TENDERS are invited till NOON of THURSDAY, the 20th October, 1887, for the STOCK and FIXTURES of the above ESTATE, as under:—

	£	s.	d.	Total
Lot 1. WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.				
Manchester ...	£812	1	6	
Dresses, Silks, Velvets, &c. ...	2428	17	7	
Haberdashery ...	189	2	3	
Hosiery, Ribbons, &c. ...	373	7	5	
Millinery ...	800	14	10	
Laces, &c. ...	234	14	9	
Fancy ...	407	9	1	
Gloves ...	163	2	9	£5409 10 4
Lot 2. MEN'S DEPARTMENT.				
Men's Clothing ...	1455	2	2	
Boys' and Youths' ditto ...	735	2	9	
Hosiery ...	182	8	9	
Shirts ...	329	8	1	
Mercery ...	157	17	2	
Hats, &c. ...	248	17	5	3108 16 4
Lot 3.				
Fixtures and Shop Fittings ...				511 11 0
				£9029 17 8

The lots can be tendered for separately, or conjointly; but the Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

Tenders to be accompanied with a deposit of 10 per cent.

The Stock is well bought, well assorted, and in first-class condition.

Stock-sheets may be seen and cards to view, and all other information obtained, on application to

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 32A, York-street.

Sydney, 7th October, 1887.

IN consequence of the death of Mr. Alexander Inglis, the only surviving partner of the firm.

TENDERS are invited for that WELL-KNOWN and OLD-ESTABLISHED BUSINESS successfully carried on for the last 24 years by Messrs. A. and T. Inglis, at George-street, Dunedin, as a going concern, in one lot.

The Business comprises General Drapery, Clothing and Mercery, Boots and Shoes, Carpets and Furnishings, Furniture, Crockery, Ironmongery, Undertaking, Boot Manufacturing, Cabinet and Furniture Manufacturing.

For particulars as to leases, ground rents, buildings, book-debts, stock, turnover, &c., apply by letter to the Executors of the late Mr. Alexander Inglis, George-street, Dunedin; or on the premises to the Manager.

Tenders must be at the office of the Firm not later than THURSDAY, the 20th day of October, 1887, at 12 noon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Each tender must have attached a marked cheque for 10 per cent of the amount of the tender.

LEASE OF CORPORATION STORES, HAYMARKET.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on Tuesday, the 18th instant, for Leasing the three Corporation Stores, Hay-street, for a period of five (5) years.

Particulars to be obtained at the office.

HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, October 8, 1887.

MEDICAL.—TENDERS will be received up to 12th instant, for a duly-qualified Medical Gentleman to attend the members of Australian Division No. 76, Sons of Temperance. For information apply G. PALMER, 3 and 4, Market Shops, George-street, Sydney; or by letter to N. PIDGEON, Secretary, Charles-street, Petersham.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

The following TENDERS have been accepted :—

Messrs. GILES and SON'S, Tender for Gloucester-street
Mr. THOS. COLLIER'S, Tender for Store in Harbour-street
Messrs. STUART BROS., Tender for Renovations to BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Mr. THOS. COLLIER'S, Tender Shop at Botany.

JOHN B. SPENCER, Architect and Quantity Surveyor, 56, Sydney Arcade.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES, 1888.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Medical Superintendent, Missenden-road, until the 2nd day of November, from persons desirous of tendering for the Supply of the Undermentioned Articles, from 1st January to 31st December, 1888.

Each line must be tendered for separately, but tenders will be received for one or more lines from any one person.

Tenders must be addressed to the Medical Superintendent, and endorsed "Tender for ———."

Forms of tender and all other information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, at the hospital.

Grocer'es
Bread and flour
Meat
Vegetables
Milk
Poultry
Butter
Eggs
Ice
Aerated waters
Coal and wood
Forage
Funerals.

(Signed) JAMES GRAHAM, Medical Superintendent.

7th October, 1887.

TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

TENDERS FOR DEBENTURES.

TENDERS will be received at the offices of the Tasmanian Steam Navigation Company, Hobart, up to 12 o'clock on MONDAY, the 24th October, from persons desirous of purchasing the Company's Debentures to the amount of £50,000, authorised to be issued by Act of Parliament, 48 Vict. No. 53.

1st. £20,000, redeemable 1st November, 1890. Interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum, payable on 1st May and 1st November in each year.

2nd. £30,000 (renewal of present issue), redeemable 15th January, 1893. Interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum, payable on 15th January and 15th July in each year.

The debentures will be issued for such sums as may be required, not being less than one hundred pounds (£100) each.

Interest payable at the Company's offices in Hobart, Launceston, Melbourne, or Sydney.

A deposit of five pounds per centum on the amount tendered for must accompany each tender, and no tender below par will be entertained.

The tenders will be opened at the Company's offices, Hobart, at the hour above-named, in the presence of the Directors, and of such persons interested in the tenders as may desire to attend, and the Directors will proceed to allot debentures to those whose tenders may be approved.

Payment to be made of the balance of purchase money on the accepted tenders at the Company's said offices, Elizabeth-street, Hobart, as under, or the deposit will be forfeited.

1st. £20,000 on or before 12 o'clock noon on 31st October, 1887.

2nd. £30,000 on or before 12 o'clock noon on 14th January, 1888.

Forms of tender to be had on application at the Company's offices, Hobart, Launceston, Melbourne, or Sydney, and all tenders to be addressed to the Manager of the Company, enclosed in envelopes, marked "Tender for Debentures."

By order of the directors,

E. M. FISHER, Manager.

Elizabeth-street, Hobart, 30th Sept., 1887.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, TIMBER MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.

ST. PHILLIP'S, GLEBE.

TENDERS are invited to Lease for a term of 43 years from 1st January, 1888, the unoccupied land of St. Phillip's, Glebe, having frontages to Wentworth Park-road, and to Denham, Mitchell, Cowper, Wentworth, and Phillip streets.

For further particulars apply to the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 63, Market-street, Sydney.

ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

TO BUILDERS, ARCHITECTS, CONTRACTORS, &c.

R. F. RITCHIE, of the Auburn Iron Works, is now prepared to submit TENDERS for Iron Bridges, Roofs, Girders, and Contractors' Ironwork generally.

The manufacture of Iron Bridges and Girders of every description is now a speciality, and the superior appliances at his works enable him to deliver this kind of work in Sydney at prices which do not fail to command trade.

R. F. RITCHIE, Ironworks, Auburn.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of NEW PREMISES at the corner of PITT and BRIDGE STREETS, for the LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

Plans and specifications may be had upon application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before TUESDAY, 25th instant.

MANSFIELD BROTHERS, Architects, 121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS invited for Erection of First Portion of St. Ignatius' College, Riverview.

Plans and specifications may be seen at our offices, where endorsed tenders must be delivered not later than noon on Saturday, 29th instant.

TAPPIN, GILBERT, and DENNEHY, Architects.

Mutual Fire Chambers, 127, King-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the Erection of Semi-detached Villas at Waverley.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom endorsed tenders are to be delivered on or before Monday, the 17th instant.

DRAKE and WALCOT, Architects.

109, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of BUSINESS PREMISES in GEORGE-STREET.

Plans and specification can be had upon application at the offices of the Architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before MONDAY, October 31.

MANSFIELD BROTHERS, Architects, 121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS are invited to TUESDAY, 11th October, for the following Works, at Croydon :—

Coachhouse, Stabling, &c.
Stone Dwarf Wall and Iron Railing.

Plans and specifications at the Architects' Offices.

ELLIS and SLATYER, Architects. Scott's-chambers, 96, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited to the 25th October, for the Erection of A Villa Residence, Albert-road, Homebush.

Plans and specifications at the Architect's offices.

ELLIS and SLATYER, Architects, Scott's-chambers, 96, Pitt-street.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are invited for a Parsonage, at Penrith, to close, SATURDAY, 29th October. To be addressed to the undersigned.

Plans to be seen at the office of the Architects, or at the residence of the Secretary.

ARTHUR BLACKET, Architect.

Bond-street, Sydney.

TENDERS FOR PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

TENDERS will be received till 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY NEXT, 11th instant, for the supply of Printing and Stationery for the use of this Department for the year 1888.

All particulars may be obtained at this office.

W. J. MERRIMAN, Registrar.

Metropolitan Transit Commissioner's Office, 60, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, October 5, 1887.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF UNIFORMS.

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No matter what it is, a parcel of Tiny Tacks or a big line of Bedsteads, a choice assortment of Rich Laces, or a mountain-like pile of Sheetings, our season's order for Mosquito Nets, a thundering shipment of Stoves from the Scotch Foundries, or anything else, no matter where it is made or where it comes from.

In this way we have made our name, in this way we are enabled to hold our own and far outdistance ALLCOMERS.

OUR ONLY ADDRESS ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS, PALACE EMPORIUM, HAYMARKET (ONLY), CLOSE TO THE RAILWAY STATION.

RILEY'S, RILEY'S, RILEY'S, OXFORD-STREET.

SPECIAL CHEAP LIST DURING GREAT CLEARANCE SALE.

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

THIS DAY we will show about 800 LADIES' FASHIONABLE JACKETS, specially brought forward.

SCOTCH TWEEDS, COVERT CLOTHS, &c., from 12s 6d to 1 guinea.

LADIES' OUTFITTING, BABY LINEN, and CHILDREN'S DRESS DEPARTMENT.

Dressing Gowns, 3s 11d, 5s 9d, 7s 6d to 18s 6d
Tea Gowns in Cashmere, richly trimmed with plush and lace, 25s to 40s
Toilet Jackets in Flannel, 3s 11d, 5s 6d, 8s 6d, 10s 6d
Plain Chemises, 11½d
Trimmed Chemises, 1s 6d to 9s 6d
Night Dresses, 1s 6d, 1s 11d to 2s 6d
Drawers, Plain, 11½d
Trimmed Drawers, 1s 6d to 5s 11d
Pinafores, 6½d, 11½d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d to 10s 6d
Babies' Robes, Cloaks, Hoods, Monthly Gowns and Flannels, Girls' and Children's Costumes and Mantles at less than half price.

LADIES' CORSETS.

1500 pairs "The Acme" Corset at 1s 11d, usual price 3s 6d
50 pairs "The Perfect" Corset at 2s 6d, worth 5s 6d
50 pairs "The Princess" Corset at 2s 11d, usually sold at 5s 11d
75 ditto "The Venus" Corset at 3s 11d, worth 6s 6d
50 ditto "The Majestic" Corset at 4s 6d, usual price 7s 6d
60 ditto "The Cymbeline" Corset at 5s, usual price 8s 6d
33 ditto "The Adelaide" Corset at 7s 6d, usual price 12s 6d.
46 ditto "Thompson's Glove-fitting" Corset, 10s 6d to 15s 6d.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Straw Sun Hats at 6d, 9d, 1s, 1s 3d
About 1000 of Last Year's Shapes at nominal prices
Ladies' Yachting Hats, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d, &c.
The Gem Hat for Ladies, trimmed, at 5s 11d, worth 8s 6d
Ladies' Fashionable Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets from 1s, 1s 6d, 1s 9d, 2s, &c.
Ladies' Trimmed Millinery, stylish and cheap.
Girls' Straw Sun Hats, 8½d, 10½d, 1s, 1s 3d, &c
Boys' Straw Hats, 10½d, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, &c.

COSTUMES.

Ladies' Black and Coloured Satin Costumes, 60s, worth 7½ guineas
Ladies' Costumes in all colours, trimmed velvet, fashionably made, at 10s 6d, 12s 6d, 15s 6d, &c.
Boating and Yachting Costumes in navy, stripe and serge
Ladies' Print Costumes at 7s 6d, 8s 11d, 10s 6d, &c.
Ladies' and Children's White Costumes, trimmed lace and work, ridiculously low prices
Great reductions in Children's Costumes, Fancy Materials, and Light and Dark Prints, &c., at 2s 11d, 3s 11d, 4s 11d, 5s 11d, &c.

PLEASE NOTE THE ADDRESS: RILEY'S, RILEY'S, RILEY'S, 163 and 165, OXFORD-STREET.

DRESSMAKER visits, families, shops, &c. (skilful designer, &c.), competent to direct. E. E., 67, Elizabeth-st.

STAYS. STAYS. STAYS.—The Cheapest Stock in Sydney. J. Johnson and Co., 245, George-street.

PARRAMATTA River Excursions.—Steamers daily, King-street Wharf, Parramatta. Return 6d and 1s to-day.

FERNBANK, Marrickville Heights.—Sale, Saturday, Oct. 22, easy terms, assistance build. Garrard and Hamilton.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

THE TALK OF THE TOWN. WHAT?

LAWLER'S CENTRAL EMPORIUM, 608, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

GREAT ALL-PRIZE BARGAIN SALE FOR OCTOBER.

Did you see the advertisement dealing with Furniture and Bedsteads and Bedding in last Saturday's and last Monday's Daily Telegraph? If you did not, then write to the agent of the paper for a copy, or you will lose the chance of golden bargains that will never come round to you again.

But, MOTHERS and FATHERS, parents with small means and many calls, you ought to read the bargains we now submit in

CLOTHING FOR MEN, YOUTHS, and BOYS.

Do not worry your head about "Bankrupt Sales" and "Fire Sales," or if you do, let it be only that you may the more fully prove the truth of TOWN-TALK, that LAWLER'S CENTRAL EMPORIUM OCTOBER PRIZE ALL-BARGAIN SALE is the most wonderful that has ever taken place in Australia.

CLOTHING FOR MEN, AND YOUTHS, AND BOYS.

Twelve months ago we commenced the clothing, and there's nothing surer than that from the first day we started the department up unto the present that we have worked like "Trojans," and the trade that we have done is the best answer to the success of the venture.

AND NOW FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.

BARGAINS in CLOTHING.	CASH DOWN, OCTOBER ONLY.
PRIZES in CLOTHING.	
MARVELS in CLOTHING.	CASH DOWN, OCTOBER ONLY.
CLOTHING at UNHEARD OF RATES.	CASH DOWN, OCTOBER ONLY.

The CLOTHING DEPARTMENT is upon the ground floor, right as you enter at 608, George-street, and Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing all on the same side.

MEN'S CLOTHING, at Prize Bargain Prices.

Tweed Trousers—Bran new, strong 3s 11d
Tweed Trousers—Bran new, good line 5s 6d

NO FIRE TAINT or SMELL ABOUT THESE.

Fancy Tweed Trousers, very excellent value, 6s 6d
Ditto ditto, lines usually sold 11s, 7s 6d
Light Tweed Trousers and Vest, 9s 11d
Ditto ditto, 10s 6d
Superior Tweed Trousers and Vests, 12s 6d
Men's Working Tweed Suits, 16s 6d
Ditto ditto, very good line, 17s 6d
Ditto ditto, superior line, 18s 6d
Ditto ditto, usually sold 25s, 19s 6d
Ditto ditto, very best, 25s
Gent.'s Worsted Serge Suits, 43s, for 27s 6d.

AND NOTE THIS AS A SURPRISE ITEM WHISPER IT NOT UNTIL YOU HAVE SECURED ONE.

There's only 100 of them, and if they were only known of they wouldn't last 100 minutes. We have refused to sell them in a parcel. Not more than TWO will be sold to any individual buyer, as we desire that the BENEFIT of this EXTRAORDINARY LINE may be general, so that we may receive the GOOD WORD OF THE MANY.

WORSTED PAGET COATS and BLUE CLOTH PAGET COATS } 27s 6d, for 3s 11d.

Now put that in your pipe and smoke it.

Since the EMPORIUM opened out RETAIL in the several departments of

BOOTS and SHOES
DRAPERY and UNDERCLOTHING
CARPETS and FLOORCLOTHS
IRONMONGERY and GLASSWARE
FURNITURE and BEDSTEADS, &c.,

they have gone upon the successful plan of DIVIDING the profits with the customers.

This may appear paradoxical, but doesn't the line above stated clearly prove it?

AND LOOK AT THE UNDERNOTED—

BLACK CLOTH TROUSERS, Extraordinary Value, 9s 6d. ORIGINAL PRICE, 21s
Boys' Serge Sailor Suits, whistles attached, 4s. 11d. Sold Everywhere, 5s 11d
MEN'S WHITE SHIRTS, 2s 11d, Worth 3s 11d.
Boys' Knicker Tweed Suits, such beauties, 4s 9d
Ditto, rare value, 5s 6d
Ditto, extraordinary wear, 5s 11d
Ditto, splendid line, 6s 6d
Ditto, a gentlemanly thing, 6s 11d
Ditto, much in demand, 7s 6d
Youths' Tweed Suits, long Trousers, &c., 8s 6d
Youths' ditto ditto, 10s 6d
Youths' Superior Tweed Suits, 13s 6d
Ditto, rare line, splendid value, 15s
Gents' Patrol White Coats, 5s 6d
Ditto, very superior, 7s 6d
Gents' Alpaca Lustre Coats, 3s 9d

STUDY THE ABOVE PRICES. Compare with what you have paid elsewhere, and you will FIND A SAVING OF 10s in the SINGLE POUND.

The CASH DOWN in the Home Market, and in the hands of the best Buyers that ever a house had working for them—that's the secret of LAWLER'S CENTRAL EMPORIUM SUCCESS.

TIES and SCARFS by the million, and all the newest styles and colours.

It's simply marvellous the value offered.

At no time have LAWLER'S PRICES BEEN HIGH, but during this month of October the prices have been all re-reduced, and nothing approaching such a REDUCTION FOR GENUINE NEW GOODS has ever been attempted in Sydney.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING for SUNDAYS
MEN'S CLOTHING for ROUGH WEAR
YOUTHS' OFFICE or WALK-OUT SUITS
YOUTHS' WORKING TROUSERS
MEN'S WORKING TROUSERS
MEN'S WALKING-OUT TROUSERS
MEN'S SUMMER COATS
YOUTHS' SUMMER COATS
BOYS' ALPACA COATS
CLOTHING at unheard-of prices
MERCERY at prices that are astonishing
STUDS and SCARF PINS, &c., at throw-away rates.
HATS and CAPS at prices to suit the Million.

Mothers will return again and again and again once they TRY LAWLER'S for BOYS' SUITS, not because they are cheap only, but because the boys look so well in the clothes, and the clothes wear so well.

OUR MAIN OBJECT IS TO GET THE MOTHERS QUESTIONING EACH OTHER as to WHERE THEY GOT THEIR BOYS' SUITS.

We want the answer, AT LAWLER'S CENTRAL EMPORIUM to come with zest and with a satisfying air

A Speciality of everything touched is what the delighted buyers have been saying to-day, this THE FIRST DAY OF THE SALE.

BOYS' STRAW HATS, 1s
MEN'S STRAW YACHTING HATS, 2s 6d
MEN'S TRAVELLING CAPS, 1s 6d
MEN'S HARD FELT HATS, 2s 11d.

We would like to have shown how our 5s 9d Hats are now 2s 11d, and how our 7s 6d are 5s 6d; but we must request our friends to credit us with a desire to tell the truth, and to request an early visit before the best of the bargains have been picked up.

INCOMPARABLY the GREATEST THING EVER ATTEMPTED in the COMMERCIAL WORLD the ALL-PRIZE GENERAL BARGAIN SALE at LAWLER'S EMPORIUM. LAWLER'S, SYDNEY. Established 1860.

Don't Forget to look out for the BARGAINS in DRAPERY and BOOTS, IRONMONGERY and GLASSWARE, CARPETS, FURNITURE, and BEDSTEADS.

CALLAGHAN and SON, Importers and Manufacturers of FIRST-CLASS BOOTS AND SHOES.

Our Hand-sewn Boots and Shoes are a speciality for fit, comfort, and wear

SEE THEM. TRY THEM.
GOODS OF BEST QUALITY ONLY.
PRICES MODERATE.

CALLAGHAN and SON, 395, George-street, opposite Royal Hotel.

A STERLING PROOF OF THE CASH YOU CAN SAVE by purchasing at JAMES KIDMAN'S now that the NEW TARIFF has come into force.

The following is a copy of an order received with the prices showing what the cost would have been under the old Customs Duties and the actual cost under the new ones :—

6th October, 1887, Oxford-street, or George and Market streets.

Mr. ———, Summer Hill.

BOUGHT OF JAMES KIDMAN.

Cost at Old Prices.	£	s.	d.	Cost under the new Tariff. £	s.	d.
6 packets Starch	0	3	0	0	1	6
3 bottles London Pickles ...	0	2	6	0	1	10½
3 bottles C. and B. Sauces...	0	2	3	0	1	6
3 tins Morton's Jams ...	0	2	0	0	1	6
3 bottles C. and B. Essences	0	2	3	0	1	6
3 bottles Whybrow's Fruits	0	3	6	0	2	7½
6 packets Petroline Candles	0	3	3	0	2	9
3 packets Paraffines... ...	0	2	0	0	1	6
3 packets Gelatine	0	1	6	0	1	1½
3 packets Isinglass	0	1	6	0	1	1½
1 Finnis and Fisher Ham ...	0	16	0	0	14	0
6 packets Maizena	0	3	0	0	2	3
3 bottles C. and B. Vinegar	0	2	6	0	2	1½
3 bottles Capers	0	2	6	0	2	1½
1 Edam Cheese	0	4	6	0	3	6
Total	£3	12	3	£3	1	0
				difference 11s 3d.		

Thus it will be seen on an order for £3 12s 3d under the Old Tariff that the cost under the New would be £2 1s, thereby effecting a saving of 11s 3d on the parcel, or about 25 per cent.

JAMES KIDMAN, Oxford-street, and George and Market streets.

THE most delightful Excursion on a fine day is a trip to Parramatta Park by steamer and tram.

Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name of Applicant.	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
			1887.
No. 5848. Homebush, 2 acres 0 roods 10 perches, lots Nos. 10 to 15 of section No. 1, and 2 roods 18¼ perches, lots Nos. 11 and 12 of section No. 2 of W. Russell's subdivision of part of Rose's 120 acres grant.	William Russell, jun.	Sydney	October 13
No. 6268. Mudgee, 1 rood, allotment No. 10 of section No. 44, granted to H. Tebbutt and T. B. Gulley.	Nicholas Rowell ...	Bombira, near Mudgee	October 13
No. 6985 Longueville, Lane Cove River, 1 acre 3 roods 32¾ perches, on the Hicks Wharf-road, being parts of lots Nos. 101 and 102 of section M of a subdivision of Little and Yeoman's grant of 320 acres.	Francis Henry Blaxland	Sydney	October 13
No. 6994. Bendemeer, 1 acre and 2 acres 2 roods, allotments Nos. 7, 9, and 16 to 20 inclusive, of section No. 40, granted to C. W. Rowe.	William Deane ...	Sydney	October 13

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 4th day of August, 1887, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
7th October, 1887.

MUDGEE RACES.

12th and 13th OCTOBER, 1887.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS to Mudgee will be issued at Sydney, Orange, and intermediate stations, on the 10th, 11th, and 12th OCTOBER, and at Wallerawang and stations on the Mudgee line on the 13th OCTOBER, available for return until the 15th October, 1887.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways,
Sydney, 27th September, 1887.

OVERLAND JOURNEY BETWEEN SYDNEY and NEWCASTLE, via PEAT'S FERRY and GOSFORD.

On all week days a Passenger Train leaves Sydney at 8.15 a.m. (on Sundays at 8.30 a.m., see below), for Peat's Ferry, where it is met by the steamer, which arrives at Gosford in time to catch the train leaving this station at 1.30 p.m., and arriving at Newcastle at 5.15 p.m.

Train leaves Newcastle daily (Sundays excepted) at 8.45 a.m. for Gosford, where it is met by the steamer which runs in connection with the train leaving Peat's Ferry at 3.45 p.m., arriving in Sydney at 5.52 p.m.

On SUNDAYS a steamer will meet the 8.30 a.m. train from Sydney at Peat's Ferry, and convey passengers to Gosford, from whence a train will leave for Newcastle at 4.50 p.m., and arrive there at 7.5 p.m.

On the up journey a train will leave Newcastle at 9.50 a.m., and arrive at Gosford at 12.5 p.m., and passengers will reach Sydney at 7.21 p.m.

Under this arrangement passengers from Sydney will be able to leave Newcastle by the midnight boat on Sunday, and reach Sydney again in time for business on Monday morning.

Passengers from Maitland, Newcastle, and intermediate stations to Sydney will be similarly situated.

On SUNDAYS ONLY the following reduced rates (which do not include steamer fare between Peat's Ferry and Gosford) will be charged:—

Return (available until Monday evening), first class, 20s 3d; second class, 13s 3d.

Single, first class, 10s 5d; second class, 6s 9d.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
26th September, 1887.

KOGARAH TO SANS SOUCI AND SANDRINGHAM TRAMWAY.

Trams leave Kogarah daily (Sundays excepted) for Sans Souci and Sandringham immediately after the arrival of the trains leaving Sydney for Kogarah at 7.2, 9.2, 10.38 a.m., and 1.5, 3.5, 4.30, and 5.25 p.m.

On the return journeys the trams leaving Sans Souci at 7.47, 9.48, 11.24 a.m., 1.51, 3.50, 5.15, and 6.11 p.m., reach Kogarah in time for the trains leaving for Sydney at 8.10, 10.15, 11.50 a.m., and 2.16, 4.13, 5.37, and 6.39 p.m.

On Sundays the trams meet (at Kogarah) the 8.50 a.m., 1.5, 2.35, and 4.25 p.m. trains from Sydney; and on the return journeys the trams leaving Sans Souci at 9.37 a.m., 1.50, 3.22, and 5.15 p.m., arrive in time for the 10.6 a.m., 2.11, 3.48, and 5.49 p.m. trains for Sydney.

CHAS A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railway.

Department of Railways,
Sydney, 6th October, 1887.

SEA-WATER BATHS, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH.

For the convenience of Bathers, a SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Sydney every SUNDAY, until further notice, at 6.45 a.m., for Rockdale, and return from Rockdale at 8 a.m., calling at all intermediate stations where required.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
October 7, 1887.

HOMEBUSH — WARATAH LINE.

ADDITIONAL PASSENGER TRAINS TO EASTWOOD.

On MONDAY next, 10th October, and until further notice, the 11.30 a.m. train from Sydney will run on to Eastwood, and the train now leaving Ryde at 1.10 p.m. will start from Eastwood at 12.45 p.m., taking up the ordinary running from Ryde.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
September 28, 1887.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 11th OCTOBER, from persons willing to PURCHASE a piece of Land, fronting Steam and Elgin streets, at West Maitland.

Plans can be seen, and all particulars obtained at the office of the Commissioner for Railways, 42, Phillip-street, Sydney, the Traffic Manager's Office, Newcastle, and Railway Stationmaster's Office, West Maitland.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for purchase of land at West Maitland."

The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Mines, Sydney,
16th September, 1887.

APPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act, 1874, section 28.

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application, September 7, 1887; date of receipt of application, September 9, 1887, James Beckett; description of land applied for, portion No. 143, county Hardinge, parish Swinton, part of reserve No. 60, 20a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for tin.

Date of application, July 25, 1887; date of receipt of application, September 9, 1887, Frank Osborne; description of land applied for, portion No. 1, with area of road running through it, county Camden, parish Kembla, part of reserve No. 57, 86a. 2ip.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

Department of Mines, Sydney,
20th September, 1887.

APPLICATION received in the Department of Mines for permission to Mine under Roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act, 1874, section 28.

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application, September 14, 1887; date of receipt of application, September 14, 1887; Henry Harper; description of land applied for, under the 100-feet reservation fronting portion No. 57, parish Kahibah, county Northumberland, and under the waters of the Pacific Ocean, fronting grants to H. Dangar 50 acres, H. Dangar 50 acres, H. Bailey 40 acres, A. Alcock 44 acres, and T. A. Alcock 40 acres, and about 10 chains extending southerly, fronting water reserve No. 4, to embrace the area; extent, 640a; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
6th October, 1887.

FRESH TENDERS.

STEAM-TUG SERVICE AT CAPE HAWKE.

FRESH TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon of THURSDAY, the 27th instant, from persons desirous of supplying and maintaining an efficient Steam-tug for use at CAPE HAWKE, on the basis of an annual subsidy from the Government, and with the right reserved to the tenderer to charge shipping for the use of the Tug at rates not exceeding 4d per registered ton, both in and out, with a minimum of £1 10s.

The conditions of contract may be seen at the office of the Marine Board.

The vessel must be of not less than 20 horse-power, and be thoroughly fitted, in the opinion of the Marine Board, for the service required.

The service will commence on 1st April, 1888.

Tenderers must state the amount of subsidy (over and above the towage rates) required for the service specified, and must submit the names of the persons (two) they propose as sureties.

The contractor, within fourteen days from notification of acceptance of tender, will be required to enter into a bond with his sureties for the due performance of the service; and in the event of failure to complete the bond in the time named, the contract may either be re-advertised or another tender accepted.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Tug Service."

J. F. BURNS.

Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane,
30th August, 1887.

WEATHER CHART OF AUSTRALASIA.

A Copy of the New Enlarged Chart, showing changes of weather in progress, published by the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland, daily (except Sundays and holidays), will be posted to any address in the Colonies for a subscription of £2 2s per annum in advance.

Apply to Clement L. Wragge, Government Meteorologist, Brisbane.

W. HORATIO WILSON,
Postmaster-General.

TO TELEGRAPH CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received at the Public Works Offices, Perth, Western Australia, up to noon on Wednesday, November 30, 1887, from persons willing to construct a Line of Telegraph from Derby to the Kimberley Goldfields, a distance of 280 miles or thereabouts, and a similar line from Wyndham (Cambridge Gulf) to the same place on the goldfields, a distance of 220 miles or thereabouts.

The construction will consist of a copper wire, No. 14, carried on iron posts (Siemen's patent), and the whole of the materials, wire insulators, and posts will be supplied by the Government at Derby and Wyndham respectively.

Specifications, conditions of contract, and forms of tender may be obtained on application and on payment of three guineas at the Public Works Offices, Perth; at the Offices of the Commissioners of Works, Melbourne, Sydney, and Adelaide; and from the Government Residents at Derby and Wyndham.

Tenders to state price per mile, and to be made out for each line separately.

Each tender must be accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for £1000, payable to the Hon. the Director of Public Works, Perth, W.A.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. ARTHUR WRIGHT,
Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Perth, W.A., August 30, 1887.

Department of Public Works, Sydney,
7th October, 1887.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.

Tenderers may be in attendance when the tenders are opened, and the name of the successful tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office.
The Erection, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Junee Railway Station. Repairs, &c., Court Watchhouse, Wollombi. Bridge over Cooper's Creek, road Bexhill to Williams. Bridge over Whalan Watercourse, road Inverell to Goondiwindi. Bridge over Boonal Creek, road Inverell to Goondiwindi. Tank, Fencing, &c., Police Station, Uralla. Widening and Improving Yanko Creek, Cont. No. 3. Kerbing and Guttering Public Buildings, Wellington. The Purchase of a piece of Land, Steam and Elgin streets, West Maitland. Fencing, &c., Gaol, Glen Innes. Completion of New Lands Office, Sydney. Supply of 20 Tramway Cars	Tuesday, October 11, at 11 o'clock.
Supply of 3000 Railway Sleepers, Seven Hills, &c. Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 2, Engine-house, &c. Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 3, Engine and Boiler. Bridge over Boomi River, at Yarrawa, Road Moree to Mungindi (exclusive of supply of Ironwork). Bridge, American Creek, at Fig Tree, main South Coast road. Bridge, Reedy Creek, road Rylstone to Bylong (Nos. 1 and 2). Alterations, &c., Gaol, at Tenterfield. Additions Lockup, Albury. Supply at Cowra Railway Station, 4000 cubic yards Gravel or Broken Stone Ballast. Cleaning Stock Waggons at Flemington (Homebush). Supply at Bathurst Railway Station of 50,000 Bricks. Supply at Goulburn, &c., of Broken Stone Ballast.	Tuesday, October 18, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge, Sandy Creek, Main North-road, near Muswellbrook. Supply, &c., of Iron Water Tower, Balranald Water Supply, Cont. No. 1. Bridge, Little Forest Creek, road Urana to Deniliquin.	Tuesday, October 25, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge over Three-mile Creek, road Wilcannia to Wentworth. Iron Roof, Engine House, New Dock, Cockatoo Island. Manufacture, &c., of Single Ladder Steam Dredge, for Sydney Harbour. Bridge, Lahey's Creek, road Mudgee to Cobbarah.	Tuesday, November 1, at 11 o'clock.
Supply, &c., of Pipes, &c., for Reticulation Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 5.	Tuesday, Nov. 8, at 11 o'clock.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Department of Mines, Forest Branch,
Sydney, 7th October, 1887.

ATTENTION is invited to the Notice in the Government Gazette of the 7th instant, calling for Fresh TENDERS under the Prickly Pear Destruction Act of 1886 for LEASES in four portions of Travelling Stock Reserve, No. 36a, parishes of Holscot and Scone, county of Brisbane; area, about 2250 acres.

The tenderer to state the term required.

Tenders will be received at the Department of Mines up to noon of MONDAY, 31st October.

Plans of the blocks, conditions of lease, and copy of bond may be inspected, and form of tender obtained, at the Courthouse, Scone, and at this Department.

HARRIE WOOD,
Under-Secretary.

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Department of Mines, Forest Branch, Sydney,
7th October, 1887.

TENDERS FOR DESTROYING PRICKLY PEAR.

PUBLIC ATTENTION is drawn to the Notice in the Government Gazette of 7th October, inviting Tenders for Destroying Prickly Pear on Travelling Stock Reserve No. 24 and some adjoining land, situated at junction of the Wybong Creek with the Goulburn River.

A LEASE OR LEASES OF THE LAND FOR 21 YEARS WILL BE GRANTED TO SUCCESSFUL TENDERERS at the nominal rent of 1s per annum.

Teamsters and travelling stock will have the right of grazing only on the northern portion of blocks 1 and 2.

Plans, conditions of contract and payment, lease and bond, may be inspected, and form of tender obtained, at the Courthouses, Muswellbrook and Singleton, and at this Department.

Tenders will be received up to noon of MONDAY, 7th November, 1887.

HARRIE WOOD,
Under-Secretary.

Public Works Department,
Roads Branch.

TENDERS are invited up to noon, on the 14th OCTOBER, Forming, Metalling, and Blinding on road, Bankstown to Rookwood, and Bankstown, via Auburn Park, to Rookwood-road; and Picton to Burragorang Mountains.

Specifications at Courthouse, Picton, and at Courthouse, Parramatta; where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions, Parramatta.

Department of Lands, Sydney,
27th September, 1887.

LEASES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES.

Attention is directed to the notification in the Government Gazette of this date, in reference to the proposal to grant special lease as hereunder mentioned.

Any objections lodged on or before the 24th proximo will be duly considered.

J. B. Christian, for Bathing-place at Sandringham.

Public Companies.

THE UNION MORTGAGE AND AGENCY COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

Incorporated under the Imperial Companies Act 1862 to 1883.

Capital	£2,250,000
Subscribed capital	1,440,000
Capital, paid-up	653,000

HEAD OFFICE.
London: 123, Bishopsgate within, E.C.

LONDON BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Clifford Wigram, Esq. (director of the Bank of England), chairman.
Rodolph A. Hankey, Esq., of Messrs. Thomson, Hankey, and Co., deputy chairman of the East and West India Dock Company.
James Duke Hill, Esq., of Messrs. Young, Ehlers and Co., director of the Union Discount Company of London, Limited.
George Forbes Malcolmson, Esq., of Messrs. Samuel Dobree and Sons, director of the National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
Thomas Rome, Esq., late of Terrick Terrick, Queensland.
A. W. Anderson, Esq., Oriental Club, Hanover-square.
R. J. JEFFRAY, Esq., Managing Director.

HEAD OFFICE IN AUSTRALIA,
Melbourne: 40, William-street.

AUSTRALIAN BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Frederick William Armytage, Esq.
Hon. William Halliday, M.L.C.
William Taylor, Esq.
Andrew George Anderson, Esq.
O. Napier Turner, Esq. | Managing Directors.
George Fairbairn, jun., Esq. |
WILLIAM HOLT, Secretary.

BRANCHES:
Sydney, Brisbane, Rockhampton.

AGENCIES:
At Adelaide, Townsville, and Normanton.

The company carries on the business of STOCK, STATION, ESTATE, FINANCIAL, SHIPPING, MERCANTILE, and GENERAL AGENTS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE on WOOL and other produce consigned for sale in the colonies or London.

LOANS made and arranged on PASTORAL PROPERTIES.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

Head Office, 49, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

Directors:
J. See, Esq., M.L.A. (chairman).
Dr. Power | F. B. Freehill, Esq., M.A.
F. Hogan, Esq., M.L.A. | John Hardie, Esq., J.P.
Hon. E. Barton, M.L.C. | Hon. J. P. Garvan, M.L.A.

Auditors:
John B. C. Miles, Esq. (Messrs. Davenport, Miles, and Co.).
W. G. Winton, Esq.

Life assurance in all its branches transacted at lowest rates of premium.

J. P. GARVAN, Managing Director.

THE FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital	£800,000
Paid-up Capital	£400,000
Reserve Fund	£50,000

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at current rates, for 3, 6, and 12 months.
All usual banking business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

PROSPECTUS of NEW CHUM GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, CROYDON, QUEENSLAND.

(To be registered under the Companies Act of 1874.)

CAPITAL, £40,000,
in 40,000 shares of £1 each,
of which 15,000 shares fully paid up are retained by the present proprietors. 25,000 contributing shares issued as paid up to 7s 6d each are now offered to the public on the following terms, viz., 2s 6d per share on application; 2s 6d on allotment; balance in calls not to exceed 1s per share per month.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
Russell Barton, Esq. | W. J. Hobbs, Esq.
John Ahearn, Esq. | W. Gallagher, Esq.
T. S. Little, Esq. | Francis Tait, Esq.

BANKERS:
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney.

SOLICITORS:
Messrs. Robberds and Son, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

BROKERS:
Messrs. T. J. Thompson and Sons, Eldon-chambers, 92, Pitt-street, Sydney.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.

This Company is now being formed to purchase and develop two claims upon the New Chum line of reef, Upper Twelve Mile, Croydon, Northern Queensland, known as the Prospecting Area, No. 430 and No. 1 North, containing 650 feet on the line of reef, by 400 feet wide.

Captain James Dunstan (late of the Great Cobar Copper Mine) and Mr. G. W. Stone, whose reports are hereto appended, report very favourably of these claims.

The reef averages 2 feet wide, and is estimated to contain 2½ to 4oz. of gold to the ton. Two shafts have been sunk upon the reef, one 40 and the other 30 feet deep, the stone from which, some 70 tons, is now at grass, and shows gold freely. The shafts are 300 feet apart, and the reef has the same characteristics and quality in both (plan attached).

The purchase money required is £5000 cash, and 15,000 shares, fully paid up.

It is proposed to erect a 10-head battery, with first-class gold-saving appliances attached; this alone, when erected, would prove a constant source of profit to the Company, as large quantities of quartz are now at grass awaiting crushing machinery belonging to other mine owners, and contracts could now be entered into to crush stone for other claims. The price now being paid is 30s per ton, besides extra charges for grinding, which would yield a good margin on the estimated cost.

This line of reef has now been taken up for 1½ mile in length, and the only crushing so far obtained, taken from the Rosshire claim at the southern end, yielded 183oz. 7dwt. of gold for 66 tons of stone, or equal to nearly 3oz. per ton.

It will be necessary to construct a dam at once, to obtain sufficient water for crushing purposes before the wet season sets in.

The estimated cash capital required is £10,000, made up as follows, viz.:—

Purchase money	£5000
Cost of 10-head crushing battery	3000
Cost of dam	500
Developing mine	1000
Contingencies, say	500
	£10,000

and this amount it is proposed to raise by the issue of 25,000 shares of £1 each. It is expected that not more than 8s per share will be required.

We might give an exhaustive account of the resources of this wonderful Goldfield, but the limits of a prospectus will not admit of it. The facts of the rich finds justify a belief that as population increases, and machinery for crushing is erected, only then will the great natural capabilities of the Croydon Goldfield be made known.

The cost of brokerage, advertising, printing, &c., will form a first charge upon the Company's assets.

Application for Shares must be made to the undersigned, who will allot the shares pro rata. If, however, the Company shall fail to float, the application money will be returned in full.

T. J. THOMPSON and SONS,
Brokers to the Company.

Report of Captain James Dunstan on the Prospecting Area and No. 1 North New Chum line of Reef, Croydon.

"Croydon,
"September 5, 1887.

"I beg to hand you my Report on the P. A. and No. 1 North on New Chum line of reef.

"This property is situated about ten miles N.E. from Croydon, on a ridge near Twelve-mile Creek, and consists of the prospecting block No. 430, which has 450 feet along the reef by 400 feet wide, and No. 1 Block, north of and adjoining the P. A., 200 feet along the reef by 400 feet wide. These two blocks amalgamated comprise an area of 650 feet by 400 feet, or nearly 6 acres.

"The property is at present held under miners' rights, but in January next it can be converted into a lease from the Government, under the usual conditions.

"The Reef, which is going down nearly vertical, crops out nearly the whole length of the 650 feet, and varies in width along the surface from 9 inches to 2 feet. Three shafts have been sunk down on the reef in this property (as shown by sketch) to a depth of 6 feet, 30 feet, and 42 feet. The reef in the 42 feet shaft for the first 25 feet is about 15 inches wide, and then opens out to 2 feet in width, continuing so to the bottom. In the 30 feet shaft the reef for the first 15 feet is one (1) foot thick, and then opens out to a width of 2 feet, and continues this width for the remaining 15 feet. In the 6 feet shaft the width is 18 inches wide from the surface to the bottom. The reef at the bottom of each of the three shafts is well defined, and consists of quartz very much intermixed with ironstone, throughout which gold is freely seen, as you will see by samples I forward. Samples of stone taken from the outcrop, crushed and prospected by me, show this stone to be fully 2oz. to the ton, and that prospects from the bottoms of the two deepest shafts show fully 4oz. to the ton. The country, which consists of granite, is favourable for working, and the mine can be cheaply and speedily opened up. From present appearances of the reef I have no doubt that it will continue down, and, as this property is on a ridge, there is no danger of being inconvenienced by water until a depth of at least 300 feet has been reached, and I therefore consider quartz can be raised from this property at a moderately cheap rate. There are about 70 tons of quartz at grass, which, I judge from prospects tried, will yield fully 2½oz. per ton; gold valued at £3 15s per oz. No stone has yet been crushed at a battery from this claim. The reef, although named "The New Chum," is a continuation of that named the "Rosshire," a claim situated about a third of a mile to the south, a crushing of 66 tons from which yielded 183oz. 7dwt. of gold, valued £3 15s per ounce. The intermediate ground, as well as that north on the New Chum, has all been taken up.

"For the economical working of these claims I should recommend the erection of a 10-head crushing battery, with suitable gold-saving appliances, at an outside cost of £3000 on the claim. There is a good and suitable site available, about 1½ mile from the claim, with an abundance of water in the wet season. To provide and secure a plentiful supply of water all the year round a dam would have to be constructed, and this, I estimate, would cost about £300. As this line of reef is taken up for over 1½ miles in length, and other reefs are being worked in its immediate neighbourhood, the battery would prove a constant source of revenue to the Company by crushing for the public when not running on the Company's stone. The price per ton now being paid for crushing is 30s; and extra charges for the use of grinding pans, and this shows a large and profitable margin.

"A good supply of timber, both for mining purposes and firewood, can be obtained cheaply in the immediate vicinity of the claims.

"In conclusion, I consider that this is a good and bona-fide property, and with the erection of the proposed battery will pay good dividends upon the capital invested.

"Yours faithfully,
"CAPT. JAMES DUNSTAN,
"Late Manager Great Cobar Copper Mine."

Report of Mr. G. W. Stone on the Prospecting area, No. 1, North New Chum line of Reef, Croydon.

"Croydon,
"5th September, 1887.

"In accordance with your request, I herewith submit my report on the Gold Quartz-mining Property as follows:—

"The property is situated about 10 miles north of Croydon, and consists of two blocks, namely,—Prospecting area, 450 feet by 400 feet, and No. 1 North, adjoining the P. A., 200 feet by 400 feet, making in all 650 feet along the line of reef, by 400 feet wide.

"The reef, which is vertical, and running north and south, crops out the whole length of the property.

"Two (2) vertical shafts, about 300 feet apart, have been sunk on the reef. The one on the northern block to a depth of 40 feet, carrying a well-defined reef, average two (2) feet wide the whole depth of the shaft, and about 40 tons of stone have been raised to the surface, showing gold freely. The shaft on the southern block has been sunk vertically to a depth of 30 feet, and exposes the reef the whole depth similar to that in the northern one, and about 30 tons of stone have been raised, all of which shows gold freely. The whole of the 70 tons of stone now at grass have been taken from the sinking of the shafts, and, I believe, from prospects tried by dollying, that this will crush 4oz. of gold per ton of stone.

"The reef, which carries two well-defined walls of soft granite, may be easily worked, and from present appearances has every indication of permanency. As it is situated on hill, no water may be expected for 250 or 300 feet, and pumping machinery will not be required until that depth has been reached.

"This line of reef has been taken up, and is now working for about one and a half mile, and the only crushing—taken from the Rosshire at the southern end—yielded 183oz. 7dwt. from 66 tons of stone.

"Yours faithfully,
"G. W. STONE."

THE NEW CHUM GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited,
Croydon, Northern Queensland.

APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

Sydney.................... 1887.

To the Provisional Directors,

Gentlemen,—I hereby apply for........................Shares in the above Company, and enclose herewith the sum of £....................being application of two shillings and sixpence per share thereon; and I hereby agree to accept the said shares, or any less number that may be allotted to me, and on such allotment to pay the further sum of two shillings and sixpence per share, and to sign the Deed of Association when called upon to do so.

Signature..............................
Name in full..............................
Address..............................
Occupation..............................

THE SCOTTISH AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Established in 1840.

Registered and Incorporated 27th October, 1856.

Offices:
Old Broad-street, London; and Phillip-street North, Sydney.

Capital, £1,000,000.
Reserve Fund, £105,000.

DIRECTORS:
FREDERICK PETERSON WARD, Esq., Chairman.
Charles Garston Grainger, Esq. | George Thomas Rait, Esq.
Richard Byam Ottley, Esq. | George Smith, Esq.
James Shand, Esq.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:
ARCHIBALD SHANNON, Esq., Manager in Australia
HENRY FREDERICK CHILCOTT, Esq., Sub-Manager in Australia
FREDERICK WILLIAM TURNER, Esq., Secretary to the Company in London.

AGENTS IN QUEENSLAND:
Messrs. B. D. MOREHEAD and CO., Brisbane.

This Company is prepared to make Advances on Mortgage of Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other Properties.

THE ST. LEONARDS LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

SECOND ISSUE OF SHARES.

Applications received at the Offices of the Company, Walker-street, St. Leonards, and 75, Pitt-street, Sydney. Every information, with copies of balance-sheets, forwarded on application to

G. T. CLARKE, Manager.

PROSPECTUS of the TARANGANBA PROPRIETARY GOLD COMPANY, Limited.

(Registered under the Companies Act.)

Capital: £1,000,000, in 1,000,000 Shares of £1 each.

Provision has been made for a net working capital of £33,000.

Directors:
The Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C., Chairman.
G. R. DIBBS, Esq., M.L.A.
WILLIAM LAIDLEY, Esq.
JOHN KEEP, Esq.
JAMES FLETCHER, Esq., M.L.A.

Bankers:
BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Legal Manager:
LEONARD DODDS (of Messrs. Watt and Dodds).

Registered Office:
131, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

The Taranganba Proprietary Gold Company, Limited, has been formed and registered for the following purposes among others mentioned in the Company's Memorandum of Association:—

1st. For acquiring a 99 years' lease of 614 acres of freehold mineral land, known as the "Five Golden Hills," on Taranganba, near Rockhampton.

2nd. For prospecting the said land, and developing the gold-bearing reefs, dykes, and veins found thereon.

3rd. For procuring and erecting the most approved appliances for saving the gold; and

4th. For disposing of portions of the land to other Companies as soon as such portions shall have been sufficiently opened up and tested to warrant their being offered for sale.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association, as also of a Pamphlet with full information, may, by intending Shareholders, be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 131, Pitt-street.

The whole of the Shares have been allotted, and provision made for a net working capital of £33,000—a sum ample for opening out the property and erecting a complete and extensive gold-saving plant upon the most approved principles.

Although the Company is formed and all the Shares have been allotted, the present Shareholders have agreed to contribute one hundred thousand Shares, fully paid-up, to be offered to the public at 10s per Share, payable as follows, viz.: 2s 6d on application, and the balance by three monthly payments of 2s 6d each.

Applications for Shares (on the annexed form) will be received by the Directors, or through any recognised Sharebroker, up to WEDNESDAY, 12th October next.

Shares will be allotted according to priority of application.

Share list will positively CLOSE on October 12.

APPLICATION FOR SHARES.
To the Directors of the Taranganba Proprietary Gold Company, Limited.

Gentlemen,
I hereby apply to purchase, on the terms of the above Prospectus, Shares in the above Company, and herewith hand you £ , being a deposit of 2s 6d per share, and I agree to pay the balance in terms of the Prospectus.
Dated at , this day of , 1887.
Name
Address
Occupation

SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £250,000. Subscribed, £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
Robert Butcher, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
Patrick Ryan Larkin, Esq. | William Hughes, Esq., J.P.
Edward Francis Flanagan, Esq. | Edward Joseph Rubie, Esq., J.P.

POLICY HOLDERS participate in profits.
DAMAGE by LIGHTNING and GAS EXPLOSION COVERED.
Fire risks taken at lowest current rates.
Head Office—73, Elizabeth-street.
E. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.

THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

OFFICES: 105, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

DIRECTORS IN NEW SOUTH WALES:
The Hon. J. F. BURNS, M.L.A., Chairman.
JOHN R. STREET, Esq., M.L.A.
The Hon. Sir ROBERT WISDOM, K.C.M.G., M.L.C.
The Hon. Sir PATRICK A. JENNINGS, K.C.M.G.

POLICIES UNCONDITIONAL, UNCHALLENGEABLE, and INDEFEASIBLE.

Annual Income exceeds	£250,000.
Accumulated Funds exceed	£700,000.
New Business for the last year exceeded	...£1,300,000.

The fullest information will be furnished upon application to the Resident Secretary, 105, Pitt-street.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:
CORNER of MARKET and YORK STREETS, SYDNEY.

INCORPORATED BY ACT OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

CAPITAL, £500,000 STERLING.

RESERVE, £36,718 STERLING.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS—
The Hon. Francis Abigail, M.L.A. | John Vann, Esq.
John Hurley, Esq., M.L.A. | J. H. Nathan, Esq.
J. F. Martin, Esq. | John Scott, Esq.
| Arnold Mathey, Esq.

The Dividend declared and paid to the Shareholders at the last Annual General Meeting, held on the 28th July last, was as follows:—

Dividend paid to Shareholders at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum

Bonus paid to Depositors of 12 months (2 per cent.)

" " 6 " (1 ").

The Bank transacts all usual Banking Business. Current accounts opened. Bills Discounted, and makes Advances upon all kinds of Commercial Securities.

Agencies in London and throughout the World.
OVERDRAFTS GRANTED AGAINST DEPOSITS OF DEEDS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED.
INTEREST ALLOWED:
At Call, 4 per cent.
3 Months, 5 per cent.
6 Months, 6 per cent.
12 Months, 7 per cent.
with BONUS ADDITIONS to DEPOSITS of SIX and TWELVE MONTHS.

Depositors can arrange to withdraw the whole or portion of their deposits without notice, and will be allowed current interest for the period of deposit.

The Share Register is still open, and intending shareholders can obtain upon application any information they require, also printed copies of reports, minutes, forms of application for shares, &c., &c.

By order of the Board of Directors,
R. M'NAMARA,
Manager.

TATE BROTHERS' AGENCY and TRADING COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 shares of £1 each.
Registered under the Companies Act.

HEAD OFFICES: 158, SUSSEX-STREET, SYDNEY.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
JAMES STEERS, Esq., Chairman.
ROBT. CAMPBELL, Esq., J.P.
(President Manning River and North Coast Farmers' Association)
R. E. de B. LOPEZ, Esq., J.P.
GEORGE W. TATE, Esq. } Managing Directors.
JOHN TATE, Esq. }

THE COMPANY'S DEPOSIT AND SAVINGS BANK.

FIXED DEPOSITS for 3, 6, and 12 months will be received, and the highest rate of interest allowed.

AMOUNTS WITHDRAWABLE AT CALL, interest paid at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum (computed on the weekly balances), and withdrawable by the depositor at any time.

A DIVIDEND OF 10 PER CENT. IS GUARANTEED AND SECURED TO THE SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE FIRST THREE YEARS.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHARES will be received.

Prospectus on Application.
W. H. WESTGARTH,
Secretary.

GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASSOCIATION COMPANY OF LONDON.

Established 1821.

Sydney Office, Bond-street-chambers, Bond-street.

Subscribed Capital	£2,000,000
Paid-up Capital	1,000,000
Invested Funds	3,999,000
Annual Income	800,000

S. MACDONNELL, Agent

AUSTRALIAN MORTGAGE, LAND, AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated 1863.

CAPITAL, £4,000,000.

Head Office—13, Leadenhall-street, E.C., London.
General Manager, E. M. Young.
Colonial Offices—Melbourne, Geelong, and Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN BOARD.
Sir James MacBain, M.L.C., Chairman.
John Russell Ross, Esq.
William Drysdale, Esq. (Inspector).

LOCAL BOARD OF ADVICE.
James Sutherland Mitchell, Esq.
Hon. Henry Carey Dangar, M.L.C.

The Company makes ADVANCES on PASTORAL PROPERTIES, Station Bills, and ensuing Clip of Wool, and acts in the capacity of Squatting Bankers and Agents.

W. A. COTTEE,
Local Manager.

3, Spring-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE).

HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Established 1836.

Paid-up Capital	£42,000
Reserve Fund	35,000

Board of Directors:
CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman;
HENRY AUSTIN, Esq., | JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.
Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C. | Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C.
Hon. JAMES WATSON, M.L.C.

MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.
WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.
HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN TRUST MANAGEMENT, ASSURANCE, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

(Incorporated by Act of Parliament, 37 Vic., No. 19.)

Registered capital	£1,000,000
Paid-up and Guaranteed Reserves... ...	£33,000

Sir EDWARD STRICKLAND, K.C.B., Chairman.
ARTHUR BLACKET, Esq., F.I.A., Deputy-chairman.

THE BANKING DEPARTMENT.

HIGH RATES of interest for LONG TERM deposits.

BANK DEPOSIT RECEIPTS for Deposits under 12 months.

DEBENTURE BONDS, under the corporate seal of the Company, payable to bearer or registered holder, with transferable Coupons for INTEREST payable HALF-YEARLY attached, and giving a FIRST charge on its entire real and personal property, including its uncalled capital, are granted for Deposits of 12 months and upwards.

NOTWITHSTANDING fall in Bank Rates, this Company will receive deposits during CURRENT month, allowing

£7½ per cent. for 5 years		With Cash Bonus if renewed at
£6½ " " 12 months		the rate of £1 per cent. per
£6 " " 6 months		annum, or withdrawable on
£4 " " 3 months		notice in terms of Prospectus.

Send for Pamphlet, "TEN MINUTES' ADVICE TO INVESTORS." Post free.

The Company solicits applications for Loans, repayable by instalments over terms of years.

Chief Offices: Corner of King and Elizabeth streets.

Public Notices.

CITY NIGHT REFUGE and SOUP KITCHEN, 531, Kent-street.

At the opening ceremony of the new building by Lord and Lady Carrington on Monday, the 3rd instant, the following donations were promised (and since part paid):—

	£	s	d
Hon. Lady Carrington	25	0	0
Mrs. O'Brien, per Captain Dean, R.N.	5	0	0
Mrs. Fitzgerald	1	1	0
Mrs. Devlin	1	1	0
Mrs. J. R. Love	1	1	0
Miss Crocker	1	1	0
His Worship the Mayor (A. J. Riley, Esq.) ...	10	0	0
Hon. E. Vickery, M.L.C.	20	0	0
United States Consul (G. W. Griffin, Esq.) ...	1	0	0
Rev. F. Garnsey	1	1	0
Richard Jones, Esq.	10	0	0
H. E. A. Allen, Esq....	3	0	0
F. W. Bucknell, Esq.	1	1	0
	£80	6	0

Hon. Julian E. Salomons, Q.C., M.L.C., and his Honor Judge Josephson have promised £50 each, conditionally on six others giving a like sum. A debt of about £400 remains on the new building. Will philanthropic friends give this deserving charitable institution their kind consideration, and enable the committee to pay off the balance of the debt.

Donations may be sent to the Manager, at the Institution, 531, Kent-street; or to the Hon. Treasurer (J. R. Love), 99, Bathurst-street.

The public are invited to inspect the building.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Intestate Estate of HANS OLSEN, late of Bulli, Miner, deceased.

CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit) at my office, 81, Phillip-street, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their Claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 5th day of November next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.

Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my agent, JAS. D. WALKER, Esq., of Bulli, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.

THEO. POWELL,
Curator of Intestate Estates.

7th October, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Intestate Estate of JOHN REES, late of Bulli, Miner, deceased.

CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office, 81, Phillip-street, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 5th day of November next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.

Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, JAS. D. WALKER, Esq., of Bulli, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.

THEO. POWELL,
Curator of Intestate Estates.

7th October, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Will of HENRY STONE, late of No. 3, Stamford Villas, Fulham, in County of Middlesex, England, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sixth Account of the Executors of the Will of the above-named deceased in this colony has this day been filed in the office of the Prothonotary of the Supreme Court, No. 81, Phillip-street, Sydney; and all persons having any claim on the said estate are requested to come in before me at my office, No. 81, Phillip-street, Sydney aforesaid, on or before THURSDAY, the thirteenth day of October next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, and inspect the said account, and, if they think fit, object thereto; and in the event of no exception being taken within the time abovementioned, the said account will be duly examined and proceeded with according to law.

Dated this twenty-third day of September, A.D. 1887.

T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Ecclesiastical Clerk, Supreme Court.

WILLIAM HENRY ROBBERDS, Proctor for the Executors, Carrington-chambers, 30, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN INSOLVENCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS with plans of distribution in the undermentioned estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Insolvency, Phillip street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and notice is hereby given that the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 13th October, 1887, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—

MORRIS DUSCHNITZ, of Elizabeth and Hunter streets, Sydney, tobacconist (No. 22,096), a first account and plan showing payment in full of one (1) preferential debt; and a dividend of 4s 1¾d (four shillings and one penny three farthings) per pound on all proved concurrent debts.

SIDNEY ALEXANDER SMITH, of Bradford-street, Balmain, commission agent (No. 22,039), a first account and plan showing payment in full of one (1) preferential debt; and a dividend of 2s 3 10-11thsd (two shillings and three pence and ten elevenths of a penny) per pound on all proved concurrent debts.

WILLIAM JOHN COLENSA, of Birkenhead, Five Dock, baker (No. 21,930), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 1s 6 1-3rd (one shilling and sixpence and one third of a penny) per pound on all proved concurrent debts.

In the following estate an account current only, showing a debit balance:—

JAMES WATERHOUSE KING, of Broken Hill, assayer (No. 21,447).

LANCELOT T. LLOYD,
Official Assignee,
25, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street.

Sydney, 26th September, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of HENRY PETCH, late of No. 54, Prospect-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, England, Gentleman, deceased intestate.

CREDITORS in this estate are requested to send in their claims to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of NOVEMBER NEXT, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets therein, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

WANT, JOHNSON, and CO.,
Proctors for the Administrator,
Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Will of JOHN KIRBY, late of Raper-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Miner, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, all persons having any claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to send in full particulars of the same to the Executor, care of the undersigned, on or before the thirtieth day of October next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which the Executor shall then have had notice.

Dated this 30th day of September, 1887.

JOSEPH BERNARD MURRAY-WHITE,
Proctor for the Executor,
69, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To the WIDOW and NEXT-OF-KIN (if any) of CORNELIUS CONDON, late of Burrundulla, near Mudgee, in the colony of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, intestate.

GREETING,—WHEREAS it has been represented unto our Supreme Court of the colony of New South Wales, by the Proctor for THOMAS HOWARD MARKS, of Mudgee, in the colony of New South Wales, Storekeeper, a creditor of the above-named deceased, that the said deceased died on the 28th day of August last, intestate, having, at the time of his death, lands, goods, chattels, and credits in the colony of New South Wales: We do hereby peremptorily cite you and each of you to appear personally or by your proctor duly constituted before our said Court, at the Courthouse, King-street, Sydney, on the twenty-seventh day of October now instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, and then and there to abide, as occasion shall require, during the sitting of the said Court, and then and there accept or refuse Letters of Administration of all and singular the lands, goods, chattels, credits, and effects of the said deceased, or otherwise to show sufficient cause, if you, or either of you, have or know any, why the same should not be committed to the said THOMAS HOWARD MARKS, as such creditor as aforesaid, on giving sufficient security; and further to do and receive as to law and justice shall appertain under pain of such Letters of Administration being granted to the said Thomas Howard Marks.

Witness—the Honorable Sir FREDERICK DARLEY, Knight, Chief Justice of our said Court, at Sydney, this fifth day of October, in the fifty-first year of our reign, and A.D. 1887.

T. W. GARRETT, Ecclesiastical Clerk.

CHARLES D. MEARES, Proctor for said Thomas Howard Marks, Mudgee, by Thomas Ormond O'Brien, his agent, Temple-court, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the SILVERTON TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED, to apply during the present Session of the Parliament of New South Wales for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise the said Company to construct, maintain, and use a Tramway line from the terminus of its present line at Broken Hill, across Stephen's Creek, to the Euriowie Tin Mines, and thence to the Town of Wilcannia, on the Darling River, over, across, and along the land described in the schedule to the said Bill, and to use steam or other motive power upon the said Tramway, and to carry thereon passengers, goods, and live stock, at rates or tolls, and for the other purposes comprised in the said Bill.

Dated the 24th day of September, 1887.

ABBOTT and ALLEN,
Solicitors for the applicants,
617, Wentworth-Court, Sydney.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of G. H. DANIEL, BYRON BAY.

A first and final Dividend at the rate of 4s 10d in the £ in the above Estate will be payable at the offices of the undersigned on and after SATURDAY, the 8th instant.

Promissory Notes must be surrendered.

SCOULLER and ROBERTSON,
Accountants and Trade Assignees,
Wynyard-street.

Sydney, 7th October, 1887.

IN the ASSIGNED ESTATE of LEWIS BROS., Tamworth.

A First Dividend, at the rate of 4s in the £, in the above estate will be payable at the offices of the undersigned on and after SATURDAY, the 8th instant.

Promissory notes must be produced.

SCOULLER and ROBERTSON,
Accountants and Trade Assignees,
Wynyard-street.

Sydney, October 7, 1887.

ALL CLAIMS against the Estate of the late DAVID TAYLOR must be sent in to the widow, Marie Louise Taylor, 14, Angel-street, Newtown, on or before the 14th instant.

ALL persons having any CLAIMS against W. G. HIBBLE, of Newtown, please send particulars at once to RUSSELL JONES BROTHERS, Solicitors, 44, Castlereagh-street.

APPLICATION FOR A COLONIAL WINE LICENSE.

To the Licensing Court of the Licensing District of Sydney.

I, CHARLES E. COLES, of Enmore-road, Enmore, do hereby give notice that I desire to obtain, and will at the next annual Licensing Court, to be holden at Central Police Office, Sydney, on the eighteenth day of October, 1887, apply for a certificate authorising the issue of a Colonial Wine License for a house situate at Enmore-road, Enmore, assessed at rental of £90 a year.

Dated the thirteenth day of September, 1887.

CHARLES EDWARD COLES, Confectioner,
Enmore-road, Enmore.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Messrs. GIBBS BRIGHT, and CO., have been appointed the Attorneys and Agents of RICHARD BELL, the Inventor and Patentee of "R. Bell's Patent Fusee Vestas," for the sale in the colony of New South Wales of such Vestas, and have also been appointed the Attorneys and Agents in the said colony of the Fusee Vesta Company, Limited, Point Pleasant, Wandsworth, London. And they are instructed to take proceedings against all persons infringing the patent rights.

NORTON, SMITH, and WESTGARTH,
Solicitors for Gibbs, Bright, and Co.,
3, O'Connell-street,
Sydney.

NOTICE.

Whereas we have reason to believe that Granulated Beet, and other SUGARS are being re-packed and delivered in bags bearing our registered brand. Notice is hereby given that a reward of £50 will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any person committing this fraud, which can be readily detected by analysis of the sugars.

EDW. W. KNOX,
General Manager,
Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Limited.

12th August, 1887.

THE LATE W. P. WOOLCOTT.

To Solicitors and others.

Anyone who prepared, or has the custody, or knows of the existence of the WILL of the deceased, will oblige by communicating with his SON, Mr. E. P. WOOLCOTT, Fitz-Evan-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

OUR CHILDREN'S HOME, LIVERPOOL.

OPENING CEREMONY, SATURDAY, October 8, at 3 o'clock p.m. The Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C., will preside.

Addresses will be delivered by the Revs. T. B. TRESS, C. OLDEN, and A. J. CLARKE.

Trains leave Sydney at 1 and 1.55 p.m. Subscribers and friends cordially invited.

G. E. ARDILL, Director.

THE SYDNEY BANKS

hereby offer a REWARD of £50 for information that may lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons Forging any of their Bank Notes.

Sydney, 11th January, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—The National Loan Bank and Discount Company, 197, Castlereagh-street, near Mercantile Building Society, is now open for business at very low rates of interest. A. GOLDBERG, Manager.

AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

FIRST AND SECOND INSTALMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Company, held at the Company's Office, Sydney, This Day, the following resolution was passed unanimously:—

"That this Meeting hereby calls for the payment of Two Instalments of one pound each per share, together with six shillings and eightpence each instalment per share, as proportion of premium, on the new shares now created, such payments to be made to the Treasurer, the Bank of New South Wales, in George-street, Sydney, as follows, namely: the First Instalment to be paid on the first day of October next; the Second on the third day of January next."

By order of the Board.
W. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney,
15th August, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.

ESTABLISHED 1872.

POLICYHOLDERS will please take notice that the BONUS of 20 per cent. halved between them and the shareholders for the FOURTEENTH YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1887, is payable as their respective policies expire.

This is the first Fire Insurance Society established in Sydney on the MUTUAL PRINCIPLE giving policyholders back part of their premiums as a CASH BONUS out of profit every year; and BONUSES of 20 per cent. have been declared ANNUALLY since 1873.

WALTER CHURCH,
Manager.

Head Office—Corner of King and Pitt streets, Sydney.

THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND (the 13th) of £1 per share, amounting in all to £16,000, has been declared, and is payable on and after the 19th instant, at the registered office of the Company, No. 74, Queen-street, Melbourne, or at the branches of the Bank of Australasia in Sydney, Adelaide, Silverton, Broken Hill, and Hobart.

The transfer books will be closed on WEDNESDAY, 12th instant, for the purposes of such dividend.

Dated at 74, Queen-street, Melbourne, 3rd of October, 1887.

By order of the Board.

THOS. ROLLASON,
Acting Secretary.

DALGETY AND COMPANY, Limited.

The TRANSFER-BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 5th to 21st instant (inclusive), preparatory to the declaration of dividend.

F. H. MOORE,
Managing Director.

5, Bent-street, Sydney,
October 4, 1887.

OPHIR DEEP LEAD SYNDICATE, Beaconsfield, Tasmania.—TRANSFER of SHARES can be obtained at 72, Pitt-street, between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m. daily.

C. S. M'GLEW, Sec.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, AND LAND COMPANY, Limited.

The business of this Company is now conducted at their new offices, No. 24, Hunter-street, between Pitt and George streets, Sydney.

Money received on current account (operated on by cheque) at call, and on fixed deposit.

Advances made on Freehold Property and other securities on repayments to suit borrowers.

Choice Building Allotments and Farms for sale in various suburban and country localities on easy terms of repayment.

A. R. KERR,
Acting Manager.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY,

73, ELIZABETH-STREET, NORTH.

The Offices of the above Society will be OPEN THIS (SATURDAY) NIGHT, for the Receipt of Deposits only.

E. J. RUBIE,
Manager.

NOTICE of REMOVAL.—The OFFICES of J. H. CARRUTHERS have been Removed to No. 124, PITT-STREET, over Commercial Bank of Australia; entrance first door on right in Rowe-street.

LEGAL.—The OFFICES of AYLWARD and WILD have been Removed to PITT and ROWE STREETS, over Commercial Bank of Australia, opposite Hoffnung's. New firm—CARRUTHERS and WILD.

ALL Persons are CAUTIONED against Negotiating my interest in Tobacconist Business, 93, Castlereagh-street.

JOHN HARRISON.

CAUTION.

All Drugs are poisonous more or less.

Serious and dangerous results often occur by inexperienced persons purchasing adulterated and inferior drugs from unskilful dealers.

All drugs used for medicinal purposes ought to be of the standard quality approved by the British Pharmacopœia.

Drugs and Chemicals sold and dispensed at MAYNE'S DISPENSING ESTABLISHMENT, 203, Oxford-street (opposite Courthouse), have this important guarantee.

GASOLENE.

The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling GASOLENE at the following rates, viz.:—

No. 1 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 650., 2s 6d per gallon, naked.
No. 2 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 675., 1s 9d ditto, in packages.

These low rates are consequent upon the removal of works.

For further particulars,
Apply
Head Office, 102, CLARENCE-STREET, SYDNEY.

A SAVING OF £25 A-YEAR.—LARGE ADDITIONAL PREMISES.—MARSHALL BROTHERS have opened a large City Drug Emporium in George-st., where prescriptions are dispensed at reform prices. Drugs, Patent Medicines, &c., are sold at wholesale prices. MARSHALL BROTHERS, Pharmaceutical Chemists, 410, George-st., 2 doors from King-st. Arcade; and at 106, Market-st.; also Reform Dentistry Establishment, 133, Elizabeth-st., Sydney. N.B.—Their popular specialty, Marshall's Tonic Nervine, is still carefully prepared from the choicest drugs procurable in the London market.

MINERALS and ORES, especially Argentiferous Galena and Auriferous Pyrites, also Wolfram, Bismuth, Tin Cobalt and Manganese, are received for SHIPMENT to Europe by the undersigned, on advantageous terms.

OPPENHEIMER and Co.,
Cape's-chambers, Bond-street.

ORE received for shipment to British or Continental Smelting Works. H. Haege and Co., agents.

THE METROPOLITAN CARRYING, BAGGAGE TRANSFER, and PARCEL EXPRESS CO., Limited.

Offices and Stores: 31, Market-street, and 80, Sussex-street.

This Company, having acquired the old-established business and plant which has been carried on for the last 29 YEARS by Messrs. AUSTIN BROS., are in a position to deliver parcels, &c., to city and all suburbs.

Being authorised carriers for the leading steamship companies, special facilities are offered to travellers in the TRANSFER OF THEIR LUGGAGE from or to steamers and rail.

Estimates given for furniture removing and other work.

Customs cleared. Bills lading attended to and goods stored.

Company's vans await the arrival of each steamer, and call daily in city and suburbs for orders.

DIBBS'S BONDED and FREE STORES, DIBBS'S WHARF.

STORAGE AT CURRENT RATES.

JOHN C. DIBBS,
Manager.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's Carrington and Paragons, £1 deposit, £1 monthly. Cooking Tuesday. 233, Elizabeth-st.

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Stock, Shares, and Money.

BOROUGH OF BURWOOD.

TENDER FOR £9000 LOAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after 14 days from the publication hereof, the Council of this Borough intends to borrow a further sum of £9000 (in addition to the existing debt of £16,000), under resolution of the Council of September 19, 1887, and under sanction of the authority of the Governor-in-Council, dated November 15, 1881, and September 27, 1887:—

1. Amount of proposed loan, £9000.
2. Not exceeding £6 per centum per annum.
3. The proceeds of the loan will be devoted to permanent improvements in the borough.
4. The loan will be raised by issue of debentures for £100 each, dated November 1, 1887.
5. The interest will be paid half-yearly at the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Sydney, and the principal sum will be paid at the same place on November 1, 1902.
6. The estimated amount of the general rates of the borough, on the security of which the above money is to be borrowed, is £30,514.

Tenders to state the price for 5 per cent. and 6 per cent. separately for the currency of 15 years.

They will be received up to 4 p.m., October 21, 1887, addressed to the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT W. HARDIE, Mayor.

Council-chambers, Burwood, October 4, 1887.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WEST BOTANY.

LOAN OF £10,000.

TENDERS are invited for a LOAN of £10,000 to the above municipality for a fixed term of TEN or FIFTEEN YEARS at the option of the Council; such loan, with interest thereon, to be secured upon the annual revenue, actual or prospective, arising and to arise from the general municipal rate of one shilling in the pound.

The area of the municipality is about six square miles, and has within its limits two railway stations, viz., Arncliffe and Rockdale.

The Valuer's Report for current year shows as follows:—Estimated capital value of unimproved lands not less than £500,500; estimated annual value of improved property not less than £25,000; municipal rates at one shilling in the pound, £2340.

The loan to be raised will be subject to the sum of £3000 and interest thereon already charged.

TENDERERS must state rate of interest required, which will be payable by equal half-yearly instalments.

SEALED TENDERS to be sent in by 6 p.m. on THURSDAY, 20th October next, addressed thus, "The Council Clerk, Arncliffe," and indorsed "Tender for Loan."

By order of the Council.

THOS. LEEDER, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Arncliffe, September 26, 1887.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY, Limited.

CAPITAL	£500,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	£350,000.
RESERVE FUND	£55,000.
UNCALLED CAPITAL	£250,000.

HEAD OFFICE: 24, HUNTER-STREET.

Directors:
HENRY GORMAN, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
F. A. WRIGHT, Esq., J.P., Vice-chairman.
C. C. SKARRATT, Esq., J.P. | Hon. WM. CLARKE, M.P.
J. H. NEWMAN, Esq., J.P. | Hon. Dr. GARRAN, M.L.C.

Bankers:
UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

The Company is prepared to receive money on deposit to any amount at the following

RATES OF INTEREST:
Deposits at call, without notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
Deposits at 6 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum
Deposits at 12 months' notice, 6 per cent. per annum.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS BEARING INTEREST.

Current or drawing accounts are also opened with trading firms and private persons, according to the usual practice of bankers, but with the important exception that interest is allowed on the daily balance at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum.

These accounts are operated on by cheque books obtainable at the Offices of the Company.

TO DEPOSITORS.

The Company, having a large and wealthy COLONIAL and ENGLISH proprietary, offers the very best security, as the whole of its funds is invested in or lent upon City and Suburban Freehold and Leasehold Properties, which undoubtedly form the most stable of all investments.

The Company's Prospectus obtainable on application at the Offices, 24, Hunter-street, Sydney.

A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Offices—Corn Exchange, George-street, Haymarket.

CAPITAL	£100,000
RESERVE FUND	26,000
RESERVES and UNDIVIDED PROFITS	80,000

The above Company is prepared to receive FIXED DEPOSITS at highest current rates.

CURRENT DEPOSITS, withdrawable without notice, received daily. Interest allowed on the daily balance.

TO BORROWERS:

The Company is prepared to advance on good freehold security, at moderate rates of interest.

Owners of ELIGIBLE BLOCKS of LAND, in good positions, suitable for subdivision are invited to send in particulars and prices to the undersigned.

J. W. DUESBURY, General Manager.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND AGENCY COMPANY, Limited

Capital, £1,000,000.

Directors:
Sir HENRY BARKLY, K.C.B., G.C.M.G.
Lord GEORGE G. CAMPBELL
JOHN HENDERSON, Esq., J.P.
ALEX. LAWRIE, Esq.
J. RAMSAY L'AMY, Esq., F.R.S.E.
ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR, Esq., M.P.

Local Directors:
Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C.
C. ROLLESTON, Esq., C.M.G.
R. D. ADAMS, Esq.
GEORGE MUNRO, Esq.
W. E. WILSON, Esq.

Solicitors:
Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN.

This Company advances on Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other properties.

Full particulars and forms of application can be obtained by applying to the Company.

Offices—7, Bent-street, Sydney.

THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

250, PITT-STREET.

Authorised Capital	£200,000
Paid-up Capital	20,000
Held on Deposit	55,000
Reserve Fund	10,500

DIRECTORS:
W. H. HENTSCH
Hon. H. E. COHEN
J. T. B. GIBBS
F. A. WRIGHT
JOHN BROOMFIELD
HY. CHAPMAN.

Advances made on Freehold Security only.

NO APPLICATION FEES.

The Funds of this Company being invested on FIRST MORTGAGES OF FREEHOLD PROPERTIES and in Suburban Lands, carefully selected, NO BETTER SECURITY can be offered to Depositors.

RATES FOR MONEYS ON DEPOSIT.

12 Months ... 6 per cent.
At Call ... 5 per cent. per annum.

Savings' Bank, in which small sums may be deposited and interest allowed on daily balance.

JAMES A. TODD, Manager.

PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

Offices, 313, George-street, near Wynyard-street.
M. Chapman, Esq., M.P., Chairman.

FIXED DEPOSITS RECEIVED at full current rates.

ADVANCES made on approved City and Suburban Securities to any extent.

Full particulars may be had on application at the offices.

J. M. FOGARTY, Secretary.

TO LEND, £400 to £800, 6 per cent., freehold security. C. L. Tange, solicitor, Commercial-chambers, Bond-street.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK, 100, ELIZABETH-STREET, opposite Registrar-General's Office. OBSERVE.—This is the OLDEST Office in the Colonies. ADVANCES made on Bills of Sale, P. Notes. Deposit of Deeds (no cost) at a MODERATE interest, and WITHOUT DELAY. The UTMOST PRIVACY can be relied upon. Bills discounted daily. HENRY PARKER, Manager. Office Hours: 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 9 p.m.

BROKEN HILLS, Centrals, Blocks, Federals, Queenslands, &c., Bought. Wilder, Griffiths, Collins-st., Melb.

TRUST MONEY to LEND on Mortgage. Apply Thomas Read, solicitor, 133, King-street.

MONEY to LEND on Mortgage, on city and suburban properties. THOS. A. STRICKLAND, 5, O'Connell-street.

TRUST FUNDS for investment upon mortgage. COPE and KING, Solicitors, 139, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TRUST FUNDS to LEND on Mortgage of approved Freehold Property. H. W. Holdsworth, 254, George-st.

BARKER and FREW (late W. H. Barker), STOCK and SHARE BROKERS, MINING SECRETARIES, MINING AGENTS, and REPORTERS, CROYDON, NORTH QUEENSLAND.

ELEVEN Hundred POUNDS to LEND in one sum, on freehold security, in or near Sydney. G. H. GREENWOOD, Solicitor, 189, Pitt-street, near King-street.

JOHN TAIT, JUN., STOCK and SHARE BROKER, FINANCE, PROPERTY, and GENERAL AGENT, 42, Castlereagh-street.

THE MERCANTILE, FINANCE, and DEPOSITORS' COMPANY, Limited.

The Company advances on securities of all kinds, discounts bills, and does all finance business.

Highest rates given for fixed deposits.

Prospectus may be seen, and shares obtained on application to

F. W. MIDDLETON, Managing Director, 42, Castlereagh-street.

THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, AND SAVINGS BANK.

Head Office: Park and Castlereagh streets, Sydney.

Capital, £100,000. Reserve Fund, £22,000.

HIGHEST RATES of INTEREST for DEPOSITS.
Twelve months ... 7 per cent.
Six months ... 6 per cent.
At call withdrawable any time ... 5 per cent.

On 30th June, 1885, the deposits amounted to £6017 19s 4d; on 30th June, 1886, to £47,950 6s 6d; and on 30th June, 1887, to £94,984 6s 5d. No better evidence can be given to prove the confidence of the public in this Company.

NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.

A limited number of Investing Shares or Coupons are still available. Up to the present time the Coupons taken up have advanced to £10,120, showing that this class of investment, INCURRING NO LIABILITY, at the same time returning such a satisfactory rate of INTEREST—10 PER CENT.—is becoming appreciated by investors.

ASSETS of the Company at 30th June, 1887: £285,119 3s 8d.

RESERVE FUND, £22,000.

APPLICATIONS for NEW SHARES received daily.

EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

TOWN AND COUNTRY LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Head Office, corner of Elizabeth and Bathurst streets.
Capital, £50,000, in £5 shares.

Directors: Hon. F. ABIGAIL, M.P., Chairman; S. E. LEES, Esq., M.P.; W. HENSON, Esq., M.P.; J. C. NEILD, Esq., M.P.; N. J. MACKENZIE, Esq.; R. M'COY, Esq., J.P.

HIGHEST CURRENT RATES OF INTEREST FOR DEPOSITS.

Liberal Advances to Borrowers. Shares issued daily.
Annual Report and Balance-sheet on application.

W. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

Head Office—100, Bathurst-street, Sydney.

CAPITAL, £500,000, in 500,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.

DIRECTORS:
F. E. Rogers, Esq. | Chas. Jesson, Esq., J.P.
W. Creagh, Esq. | J. Cutter, Esq.
W. B. Cole, Esq. | T. G. Redmond, Esq.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED at the following RATES of INTEREST:—
Twelve months ... 7 per cent. } Participating in
Six months ... 6 per cent. } Profits.

Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. on the daily balances allowed on current accounts.

DEPOSIT BANK and OFFICES, in addition to ordinary office hours, are open SATURDAYS and MONDAYS from 7 p.m to 9 p.m.

Share List still open, and Shares issued daily.

The Company have for Private Sale a few Allotments in the splendid subdivision of Park View Estate, Alexandria, and Viney's Estate, Burwood. Also, in their splendid subdivision, River View Estate, Mortlake, which is the most profitable land in the market for investors. Plans and particulars at the offices.

J. W. SMYTHE, Secretary.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

Authorised Capital	£1,000,000
Subscribed Capital	300,000
Unpaid Capital Reserve	200,000

OFFICES:
SYDNEY ... 278, Pitt-street
LONDON ... 60, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
MELBOURNE ... 48, Collins-street West.

COURT of DIRECTORS:
William Hudson, Esq., Chairman.

Geo. R. Whiting, Esq.	W. J. Ferguson, Esq.
Robert Hudson, Esq., J.P.	Herbert Buck, Esq.
S. W. Burridge, Esq., J.P.	A. W. Stephen, Esq.
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John Wetherill, Esq., J.P.	Alfred B. Campbell, Esq.
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Thos. Blencowe, Esq.	G. Baker Walker, Esq.
Hon. Henry Cuthbert, M.L.C.	A. Harrison Collings, Esq.

SYDNEY and MELBOURNE BOARD of MANAGEMENT:
William Harris, Esq. | James G. Edwards, Esq., J.P.
G. Baker Walker, Esq.

LONDON BOARD of MANAGEMENT:
John C. Thynne, Esq. | C. Shuttleworth Buck, Esq.

MELBOURNE BOARD of MANAGEMENT:
Robert Hudson, Esq., J.P. | Hon. Henry Cuthbert, M.L.C.
William Kelty, Esq. (Manager).

RATES of INTEREST ALLOWED on DEPOSITS:
6 per cent. per annum for 12 months
5 per cent. per annum for 6 months
4 per cent. per annum for deposits at call,
and on the daily balance to credit of Current Accounts, which can be operated upon by cheques in the usual manner.

This company having large sums of money available for investment, is prepared to make advances on MORTGAGE of FREEHOLD PROPERTY, either for FIXED PERIODS or REPAYABLE by INSTALMENTS, and to DISCOUNT PROMISSORY NOTES secured by deposit of Deeds, Deposit Receipts, or Certificates of Title to Shares in Banks, Investment Companies, and Building Societies.

G. BAKER WALKER, General Manager.

MONEY to LEND, on freehold security. W. H. PIGOTT, Solicitor, 50, Castlereagh-street.

IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.

HEAD OFFICE—HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 171, PITT-STREET (late Commercial Bank of Australia).

Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 Shares of £1 each.

W. GRAHAM CAMERON, Esq., Chairman.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.

To make advances for long or short periods on freehold properties, to receive money on deposit, and to transact all usual banking and building society business.

TO BORROWERS.

Advances from £100 and to any amount on freehold securities at lowest rates and on the shortest notice REPAYABLE in 3 or 5 years, or by THE COMPANY'S LIBERAL INSTALMENTS, viz., 4s PER WEEK FOR EACH £100.

Overdrafts granted against deposit of deeds.

Current accounts opened and interest allowed on daily balance operated upon by cheque-book.

Deposits received and interest allowed.
Deposit at call, without notice ... 4½ per cent.
Deposit at 3 months ... 5½ per cent.
Deposit at 6 months ... 6½ per cent.
Special rates for large sums and longer periods.

A fresh issue of 20,000 shares having been authorised by the Board, applications may be made to the undersigned, from whom forms and all information may be obtained, payable, 1s on application, 1s on allotment, and balance in calls of not more than 1s and at intervals of not less than 1 month.

For the convenience of those who are unable to attend during the day, the offices will be open on Monday and Saturday evenings from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

WILLIAM P. SMAIRL, Manager.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited.
(INCORPORATED under the Companies Act.)

CAPITAL ... £75,000, with power to increase.

Corner YORK and KING STREETS.

The Company make immediate Advances on all descriptions of Merchandise, bonded or otherwise, under hypothecation.

Trade Bills Discounted daily.

All financial operations attended to promptly.

Reversionary Interests, Legacies (European or Australian colonies), Remittances advanced on or purchased.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Farms, Farming Implements, Machinery, Horses, Cattle, Conditional Purchases (with certificate of conformity), also Bills of Sale without registration or possession, in small or large amounts.

SPECIAL.—First or Second Mortgages. Personal advances granted.

Highest Rates given for Fixed Deposits.

HUGH SHARPE, Acting Manager.

TEMPORARY MONEY ACCOMMODATION.

TO BORROWERS.

THE ADVERTISER HAS FOR INVESTMENT A SUM OF £23,000, which he is prepared to advance in sums of from £20 and upward, repayable in accordance with the borrower's convenience, upon the following securities:—
Bill of sale, no publicity or registration
Shares, Certificates, Notes of Hand
Merchandise, in store or bond
Deposit of freehold and leasehold deeds.

Address to RELIANCE, Box 966, G. P. O.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

Offices: 171, York-street.

Deposits received to any extent.
Highest current rates allowed.

WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

TO DEPOSITORS.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, 100, Bathurst-street,

direct your attention to the following rates of interest, which they are now paying on deposits:—
12 months, 7 per cent.
6 months, 6 per cent.
At call, 5 per cent.
with participation in profits.

J. W. SMYTHE, Secretary.

NATIONAL LOAN BANK and DISCOUNT COMPANY, 197, Castlereagh-street, near Mercantile Building Society.

Cash Advances made from £10 to £10,000, at low rates of interest, on personal security, promissory notes, bills of sale; on furniture without removal, leasehold and freehold land, building society, mining, gas, bank, and other shares, interest under wills, life policies, bills of lading, bonded certificates, or any other available securities.

Repayable by easy instalments to suit borrowers.

Bills discounted daily at very low rates.

All business transactions strictly confidential.

Communications by letter promptly attended to.

A. GOLDBERG, Manager.

MONEY to LEND, on city or suburban freehold securities. J. A. Dowling, 29, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES PROPERTY INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited,

Office: 4, PARK-STREET, SYDNEY.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... £100,000
Paid-up £24,417 10s | Reserve Fund ... £12,000

Directors:
George Crawshaw, Esq., Chairman.
Thomas Moore, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman.
R. Williams, Esq., J.P., W. H. M'Clelland, Esq.,
G. B. Gough, Esq., J. V. Wareham, Esq.

This Company has now completed its fourteenth half-year, and has paid its shareholders dividends half-yearly at the rate of from 10 to 25 per cent. per annum.

INTEREST:
For 6 MONTHS ... 6 per cent.
For 12 MONTHS ... 7 per cent.

SAVINGS BANK BRANCH.

Depositors in this branch will be paid 5 per cent. upon their daily balances.

HOUSES and COTTAGES for SALE and to LET.

CHOICE ALLOTMENTS, ORCHARD and FARM BLOCKS for SALE.

Full particulars on application.

THOMAS HOLDERNESS, Manager.

NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

The rapid growth of the Company's Business has induced the Directors to issue 20,000 NEW SHARES at 70s per share, and as only 10,000 of these are reserved for the Sydney market, it is necessary that speedy application be made by those intending to take up shares.

The New Issue will increase the Paid-up Capital from £20,000 to £40,000, and the reserve from £40,000 to £80,000.

This Reserve will be larger than that of any other Building Company in the colony, and as a consequence of the large Reserve, the cost of money to this Company will be less than to any other Building Company.

The total Receipts during the year ending December 31, 1886, amounted to £427,420 13s 10d, and the sum of £321,713 11s 9d was received on deposit; larger than the amount received by any other Building Company in the Colony, and this in the face of the widespread depression in trade.

The fact that this Company has always paid the highest rate of Dividend, and at the same time carried substantial sums to reserve every year, is a guarantee that in the future the same good results may be anticipated.

The Directors have every confidence in recommending these Shares as the soundest investment in the market.

For Forms of Application, Balance-sheet, Prospectuses, and all information, apply to

H. G. SWYNY, Managing Director, 309, Pitt-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL, £100,000.
RESERVE FUND, £42,000.
HEAD OFFICE: 309, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
BRANCH OFFICE: AUBURN-STREET, GOULBURN.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED TO ANY EXTENT at the FOLLOWING RATES:—
FOUR per cent. per annum at call
FIVE " " at 6 months,
with right to withdraw the whole or any portion at any time, with interest at the current rate for the period of deposit.

FIXED DEPOSITS for 12 MONTHS receive INTEREST at the rate of SIX PER CENT. PER ANNUM, and BONUS at maturity, which last year was 1½ per cent., making 7½ PER CENT. IN ALL.

SHARES—NEW ISSUE.

Forms of application and all information on application or by post.

The following comparison will show that, despite the depression which prevailed, the business of the Company for 1886 shows a marked increase over that of the previous year:—

	1885.	1886.
Total Receipts	£330,318 4 11	£427,420 13 10
Money received on Deposit	285,921 19 7	321,713 11 9
Repayments of Loans and Deposits and Instalments on Land	41,160 11 1	64,767 11 8
Balance to Credit of Depositors	200,666 4 8	231,109 0 1
Land Buyers' and Borrowers' Balances	212,757 2 8	242,162 12 8
Unsold Land at cost price	85,560 10 7	64,665 4 3
Advances made by Company for purposes of building	54,363 3 5	58,253 7 7

The net profits for the year, after paying all expenses, amounted to £12,555 18s 6d, which, after deducting interim dividend to June 30 (£2500), left a balance of £10,055 18s 6d, which was appropriated as follows:—

To Payment of Dividend to Shareholders at the rate of 6s per share per annum	£3,049 4 4
Bonus to Depositors, at 1½ per cent. per annum; Bonus to Borrowers, 2 per cent. per annum; Bonus to Land Buyers, 8 per cent. per annum	2,991 17 5
Amount transferred to Reserve Fund	2,000 0 0
Leaving a balance to credit of profit and loss of	2,014 16 9
	£10,055 18 6

H. G. SWYNY, Managing Director.

THE LAND MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited, 629, GEORGE-STREET SOUTH, nine doors south of Goulburn-street.

CASH ADVANCES made within six hours of application.
BILLS OF SALE ON FURNITURE without possession,
" " MACHINERY, STOCK, and CROPS.
WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY INSTALMENTS.

Loan.	Weekly Repayment.	Monthly Repayment.
£100	£0 11 8	£2 6 0
75	0 8 4	1 16 0
50	0 5 10	1 4 6
40	0 4 4	0 17 6
30	0 3 1	0 12 6
20	0 2 2	0 10 0

Special arrangements made for those repaying at short periods. Bills discounted daily at lowest current rates.

EDWIN R. SOUTH, Secretary.

BURWOOD LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, 266, Pitt-street.

REGISTERED CAPITAL, £100,000.

Directors:
WM. DEANE, Esq., 55, Elizabeth-street, Chairman
R. M. VAUGHN, Esq., M.L.A., Grenfell, Vice-chairman
JOHN BROWN, Esq., J.P., Emu Hall, Emu Plains
JAMES BRIERLEY, Esq., Lucas-road, Burwood
JAMES O. PHILLIPS, Esq., Westleigh, Neutral Bay
PATRICK O'DOWD, Esq., 135, Sussex-street.

Interest allowed on deposits at the following rates:—At call, 5 per cent.; six months, at 6 per cent.; 12 months, at 7 per cent.

Assistance given to purchasers of Land to build. Liberal advances on freehold and leasehold property.

Shares may be had on application.

S. PATRICK, Manager.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE.—Several sums £100 and upwards at current rates to Lend on freehold security. North Shore securities preferred. G. T. CLARKE and CO., North Shore, and 75, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TRUST Money on City or Suburban Property, low interest, no delay. EDWARD GRAY, 32, Sydney Arcade.

WANTED to Buy, a Williams' Mount Morgan, £500 scrip. State lowest price, Box 383, G. P. O.

MONEY to LEND on Mortgage, low rates. A. W. Webster, agent, 450, Oxford-street, Paddington.

WANTED to borrow, privately, £100, on good freehold security, at 6 per cent. T. H. A., Leichhardt P. O.

MONEY advanced on DEEDS within 15 minutes after application. REPAYMENTS to suit borrowers. SYDNEY DEPOSIT and DISCOUNT BANK, Beaumont's-chambers, 90, King-street, opposite Arcade. H. LIKELY, Secretary.

MONEY ADVANCED DAILY by G. W. GODWIN at moderate interest and easy terms of repayment. No delay. All transactions held strictly private.

Offices—178, Phillip-street, near King-street.

H. E. RUSSELL, Financial Agent and Accountant, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street. MONEY to LEND on city, suburban, and country freeholds. TRUST ACCOUNTS prepared and Estates managed.

CIVIL SERVICE BUILDING SOCIETY, 184, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Board of Management.
President: Hon. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON, K.C.M.G.
Trustees, } JOHN WILLIAMS, Esq., Hon. Sir
Ex-officio Directors } ROBERT WISDOM, K.C.M.G., M.P.
Directors: Chas. A. Goodchap, Esq., Archd. C. Fraser, Esq., James Barnet, Esq., John Young, Esq., J.P.

SHARES, £25 each, payable by monthly instalments of 2s 6d per share, on which 6½ per cent. compound interest is allowed, together with share in the profits.

Advances made on freehold security, repayable by monthly instalments extending over any time to 10 years, and borrowers share in the profits.

FIXED DEPOSITS RECEIVED AT HIGHEST CURRENT RATES.

C. H. LYONS, Secretary.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved freehold and leasehold securities within the metropolitan district. For particulars apply to the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 65, Market-street, Sydney.

ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

MONEY to be LENT, various sums, at current rates, on mortgage. W. W. BILLYARD, Solicitor, 34, Castlereagh-street.

TRUST FUNDS to LEND upon approved security, at current rates. Fisher, Ralfe, and Salwey, Pitt-st., Sydney.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT BENEFIT BUILDING, LAND, AND SAVINGS INSTITUTION, Pitt and Park streets.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—£30,000.

This large sum of money is now ready to be advanced on mortgage of freehold property, on the easy terms of repayment of 5s 4d per week per £100.

The present rate of interest is 7½ per cent.

Applications may be lodged at any time.

THOS. MILLER, Manager.

MONEY to LEND, on Mortgage, at 5 and 6 per cent. Properties released from building societies. HAROLD BREES, 54, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street staircase.

WANTED, to BORROW £1200 or £1300, on freehold lands, agricultural machinery, steam-engine, pump, &c., at reasonable rate of interest. Particulars, apply to X. Y. Z., care of T. M. Newman, solicitor, Tamworth.

ST. JOSEPH'S BUILDING SOCIETY.—17 SHARES in the above Society for private SALE. Apply at 30, Sir John Young-crescent, Woolloomooloo, near Domain.

TWO Partners, developing a new article of daily consumption, wish to take in a THIRD one, with £250, to extend the business and take active part. MAYD and CO., 29, Circular Quay.

WANTED, OFFERS for 13 Sydney Provincial Building Shares, 28s paid; also 25 Mercantile ditto, 7s paid. Address Finance, Herald Office.

CENTENNIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

DEPOSIT and SAVINGS BANK, 279, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 shares of £1 each.
W. C. FALLICK, Esq., CHAIRMAN.
SHARES ISSUED DAILY.

Only 1s on application, 1s on allotment, and the balance in calls of 1s per share per month.

DEPOSIT and SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.

Deposits for 12 months receive 7 per cent. interest per annum
Deposits for 6 months receive 6 per cent. interest per annum
Deposits for 3 months receive 5½ per cent. interest per annum, and can be WITHDRAWN by giving three days' notice.
Current account at call, without notice, 5 per c. on daily balance.
Office open daily, 9 to 5, every Monday Evening from 7 to 9.

J. SPENCER SAYERS, Secretary.

ELDERTON'S FINANCIAL AGENCY.

MONEY to LEND upon Mortgage of city, suburban, and country Freehold and Leasehold Property, C. P. Land, Farms, Orchards, and Station Securities, in sums from £100 to £50,000, at 5 to 6½ per cent., for 3, 5, or 7 years.

MUNICIPAL LOANS negotiated from 5 per cent., in sums from £1000 to £100,000.

PROPERTIES released from building societies, and the same amount advanced at 6 per cent. for a fixed term of 3 or 5 years, interest only payable quarterly.

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Money advanced upon merchandise, bonded certificates, plant, machinery, and all classes of sound securities.

Bills discounted. Money advanced under wills.

HARRY C. ELDERTON, 13, Pomeroy-chambers, 39, Castlereagh-street.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

Office: Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street (opposite Hoffnung's).

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Paid-up Capital	55,000
Reserve Fund	17,500

DIRECTORS:
W. S. BUZACOTT, Esq., J.P., Chairman | J. THOMPSON, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman
JOHN CALLAGHAN, Esq., J.P. | JAMES WARD, Esq.
DAVID MACKEY, Esq., J.P. | THOMAS DAVIS, Esq.

RATES OF INTEREST.
Deposits at call, without notice, 5 per cent.
Deposits at 6 months, 6 per cent.

Advances to Borrowers at current rates.

S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

NOTICE TO BORROWERS.

MONEY.

If you are in want of a TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION, be careful to call at the OLD-ESTABLISHED OFFICE, AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL, 42, Hunter-street, where you can get what you require without having to pay commission or have your name hawked about in every office.

CASH ADVANCES from £10 to £1000, on all kinds of security, at reasonable rates of interest.

SPECIALTIES.—First or second Mortgages of freehold or leasehold property, without registration if so required. No mortgage charges, and for any period at current rates.

For full particulars apply Australian Mutual Mortgage and Finance Company, 42, Hunter-street.

MONEY TO LEND.—Having a large amount to invest on city freehold, we are prepared to LEND, in large sums, two-thirds of Richardson and Wrench's valuation, at from 4½ to 5½ per cent., according to situation; also station freehold, at 6 per cent.

CAMPBELL and COMPANY, 1, Spring-street.

ST. LEONARDS LAND CO., Limited.—100 SHARES for SALE, 15s paid up. Shares, Box 508, G. P. O.

NATIONAL BUILDING CO.—20 SHARES, paid up to £3 each. Shares, Box 508, G. P. O.

MONEY advanced, from £5 and upwards, on bills of sale, deeds of land, and all approved securities. THE QUEEN'S LOAN CO., 135, Bathurst-street East, between Pitt and Castlereagh streets.

MONEY TO LEND.

The TRUSTEES of the SAVINGS BANK of New South Wales are prepared to LEND MONEY at 5 per cent. on Mortgage of approved Freehold Property.

H. WISE, Managing Trustee.

THE Advertiser, having a considerable Capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of Securities, without the necessity of a Bill of Sale or any publicity whatever.

Loans may be repaid as under:—
Loan of £100, repayable by monthly instalments of £2 5s
Loan of £50, repayable by monthly instalments of £1 10s
Loan of £20, repayable by monthly instalments of £1
Loan of £10, repayable by monthly instalments of 10s.
All communications strictly private.

Confidence, Box 293, General Post Office.

VICTORIAN LOAN and DISCOUNT COMPANY, 724, George-street, Haymarket (next Mercantile Bank). Advances on Bills of Sale, P. Ns., Deeds, and any security. Low interest. Easy repayments. No delay. Strict privacy. Bills discounted daily. DOUGLAS ALLEYNE, Manager. Hours, 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 8 p.m.

TO LEND, £5 to £500, personal security, repayable by instalments. J. G. Read, M'Coy's-chambers, 10, Park-st.

MONEY ADVANCED on FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES, BILLS of SALE, and any other approved-of securities. REPAYMENTS arranged so as to suit the borrowers' convenience. BILLS discounted daily at lowest rates of interest. NO delay, business transacted at once, and held strictly private. COHEN and BORNSTEIN, 299, Pitt-st., 2 doors from Park-st., opp. Criterion Theatre.

MONEY to LEND, City and Suburban Freehold Property, city 5½, suburban from 6 per cent. Estates managed. Properties sold on commission. Frank Broughton, financial and general agent, Mutual Life-chambers, 127, King-street.

THREE Thousand Five Hundred Pounds to LEND on suburban or country rent-producing properties; also various sums on mortgage of vacant land. GREVILLE J. LEWIS, Conveyancer, 32, Castlereagh-street.

AN ENGLISH CAPITALIST, just arrived, will make ADVANCES, on easy terms, on reasonable securities; private and confidential.

Box 906, G. P. O.

WANTED to Borrow, £500 for a term of five years, on good brick cottages, leasehold, Richardson and Wrench's valuation, at 8 per cent interest; principals only. Apply by letter, to W. Allen, 139, York-street, Sydney.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE.

Having large Funds at my disposal, I am prepared to LEND as follows:—On city property, from 5 per cent.; station securities, 5½ per cent.; suburban and country properties, from 6 per cent.

THOS. W. MACRO, 126, Pitt-street.

MONEY to LEND upon Freehold security at current rates. Chapman and Lamb, 127, King-street.

CHEAP MONEY TO LEND on Central City Property at 4½ per cent. interest; other City Property at 5 per cent. interest.

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LOANS on Morgage negotiated, Bills discounted, moderate rates. J. M. Greig, 90, King-street, opp. Arcade.

SYDNEY PERMANENT FREEHOLD LAND AND BUILDING SOCIETY.

Corner Pitt and Bathurst streets.

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333, Pitt-street. J. W. BIBBY, Secretary.

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EXPRESS WAGGONS, Six Styles; HARNESS, &c., &c., at WILLIAM FLEMING'S American Carriage Repository, corner Clarence and Margaret streets, Sydney.

WANTED, a Man to RENT a cab. Apply Charles Aarons, 61, Druitt-street.

FOR SALE, FILLY, 3 years old, suit buggy or saddle, a bargain. Killarney, Nelson-street, Annandale.

FOR SALE, Spring Van and Harness, nearly new, corner of Rofe and Rosebery sts., Leichhardt. Mrs. H. Riley.

BARGAIN.—Quiet COB, 5 years, with, Buggy and Harness, the lot £15. 130, Crown-road, Ultimo.

FOR SALE, sound MARE, Springcart, and Harness; bargain. 127, Castlereagh-street.

PAIR PEDIGREE FILLIES, good match, bred by A. A. Dangar, by Gainsborough, out of mares by Fabarn and Shanghai (3 years). Garling's Bazaar, or 421, George-street.

TROTTING SULKY, in good order, and new Harness, for SALE, cheap. Box 621, G. P. O.

FOR SALE, pair of HORSES, in prime condition; double set HARNESS, and Commercial Traveller's BUGGY. W. HENDERSON and CO., 173, Pitt-street.

WANTED, good buggy PONY, sound and quiet, day's trial. Particulars, price, age, G. G., P. O., Redfern.

FOR SALE, a dealer's Van, Horse, and Harness, any trial, price £6 10s. 348, Harris-street, Ultimo.

FOR SALE, handsome bay family or match HORSE, also 2 stanch baker's or grocer's Horses, 1 hansom, saddle, and buggy Horse. The Grange, Wilson-street, Newtown.

FOR SALE, 2 young HORSES, suit buggy, spring-cart, or cab. JOHN FARRELLY, Randwick.

FOR SALE, Draught HORSE, big, active, stanch, cheap, 6 years. Wm. Shannon, Chester-street, Annandale.

BROUGHAM, very light, price 50 guineas, nearly new. Apply Coachman, No. 1, L'Avenue, off Fitzroy-st., N'town.

FOR SALE, HORSE, Double Buggy, brake, lamps, and harness complete. 127, Castlereagh-street.

HORSE, Spring Cart, and Harness, £20; Horse, Dealer's Van, and Harness, £18. Knight, Castlereagh-st.

FIRST-CLASS Double Buggy, brake, lamps, and harness, £30; hooded Tray Buggy, brake, lamps, £20. Knight.

HAWKER'S Waggon, with fittings and harness, £35; new Express Waggon, £25; new Village Cart, £17. Knight.

FOR SALE, 8 h.p. Portable ENGINE; also several fixed Engines, cheap. A. Hedges, Norton-street, Ashfield.

NEAT strong Village Cart, Harness and Horse, £16 10s. Stevens and Co., oppo. Norton-street, Parramatta-road.

HORSE required, with saddle, state price, trial given, age, &c., promptly. Dux, Herald Office.

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RESUMPTION OF PRACTICE.

Mr. P. STANICH,
AURIST,
By Appointment to His Excellency the Ex-Governor of New South Wales.

Mr. P. Stanich, Aurist, having returned from his extended visit to Europe, where he has had the advantage of studying aural surgery with the most eminent professors of the day in the Imperial Royal University clinics of Austria and Germany, has RESUMED PRACTICE at his Rooms, 32, Wynyard square, Sydney, where he will receive patients suffering from diseases of the ear between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon, and from 2 to 4 p.m.

Mr. Stanich would direct the attention of those concerned to the following credentials :—

I, Gustavus Nathan, her Majesty's Consul-General at Vienna, do hereby certify and attest to all whom it may concern, that the paper written in the English language hereunto annexed, marked A, is a true and faithful translation of the original in the German language, hereunto also annexed, marked B.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and consular seal at Vienna, this fourth day of April, 1887.

GUSTAVUS NATHAN,
H. B. M. Consul-General.

"A."
TRANSLATION.
Certificate.

Mr. Prospero Stanich, who for the last 11 years has been practising at Sydney as a physician of ear diseases, attended one term held by me on diseases of the ear. He proved himself to be well acquainted with all the methods of both examination and the pathology of the hearing organ, as well as with the diagnostic and therapeutics of diseases of the ear, which theoretically and practically demonstrated on persons suffering from these diseases.

Vienna, March 31, 1887.
(Signed) DR. ALBERT BING,
Late Clinical Assistant, Private Lecturer for Diseases of the Ear on the Vienna University.
(Signed) E. LUDWIG, Present Dean.

This are to certify the foregoing signature, and the seal affixed to same.

Vienna, April 2, 1887.
The Government of Lower Austria. These are to certify the signature of the Imperial Royal Government of Lower Austria.

Vienna, April 2, 1887.
Imperial and Royal Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
(Here follows the authentication of the signature of the Imperial and Royal Ministry of Foreign Affairs by her Britannic Majesty's Consul-General.

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In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and consular seal at Vienna, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1887.

GUSTAVUS NATHAN,
H.B.M. Consul-General.

"A."
TRANSLATION.

I herewith certify that Mr. Prospero Stanich, of Sydney, practising as a Surgeon of Ear Diseases, has attended a six weeks' Summer Term of Lectures in 1886-87, on theoretical and practical therapeutical of ear diseases, and that he practised with singular zeal in my ward at the Imperial Royal General Hospital on patients suffering from diseases of the ear, thus acquiring a knowledge of all the necessary ear operations. In this manner Mr. Stanich considerably increased his experience as a surgeon of ear diseases.

Vienna, May 23, 1887.
(Signed) Professor Dr. JAS. GRUBER,
Chief of the Imperial Royal University Ward for Diseases of the Ear, and Physician of Ear Diseases at the General Hospital of Vienna.
(Signed) E. LUDWIG,
Present Dean.
Vidi: (Signed) ROBT. ZIMMERMAN,
Present Provost.

This are to certify the foregoing signature and the seal affixed to same. Vienna, May 27, 1887.
Government of Lower Austria.
(Signed) CZAPKA.

This are to certify the signature of the Government of Lower Austria. Vienna, May 28, 1887.
Imperial and Royal Ministry of the Imperial Court and of Foreign Affairs.
(Signed) KONRADSHEIM.

Here follows the authentication of the signature of the Imperial and Royal Ministry of Foreign Affairs, by her Britannic Majesty's Consul-General at Vienna.

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In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and consular seal, at Vienna, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1887.

GUST. NATHAN,
H.B.M. Consul-General.

"A."
TRANSLATION.
Certificate:

The undersigned herewith certify that Mr. Prospero Stanich, of Sydney, in Australia, was entered in the summer term of 1887 as a student, and attended the lectures on practical therapeutics on ear diseases at the Imperial R. University. He showed that acquired therefrom excellent results. Mr. P. Stanich most zealously devoted himself in the hospital ward of the undersigned to the study of ear diseases, and acquired an accurate knowledge of the diagnosis and treatment of ear diseases. Mr. Stanich has also skilfully executed operations on patients under his charge.

Vienna, May 24, 1887.
(Signed) Dr. ADAM POLITZER,
Imperial Royal Professor of the Vienna University for Diseases of the Ear, and Chief of the Ward at the General Hospital for Diseases of the Ear.
(Signed) E. LUDWIG,
Present Dean.
Vidi: (Signed) ROBT. ZIMMERMANN,
Present Provost.

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CERTIFY—TRANSLATION.
Royal University Clinic for Diseases of the Ear,
at Halle a/s., Germany.

Professor Stanich, from Australia, has, from the first June till the twenty-third of July, 1887, pursued his studies most assiduously in this clinic, and has, during that time, perfected himself in the examination and treatment of patients suffering from ear diseases. He had opportunities to witness the most difficult operations, and perform the same himself.

Halle a/s., July 22, 1887.
(Signed) Professor Dr. SCHWARTZE,
Director of the Royal University Clinic for Diseases of the Ear, and Privy Counsellor of Medicine.
Certified.
Berlin, July 25, 1887.
The Ministry for Ecclesiastical Education and Medical Affairs.
By order.
(Signed) GRIEFF.
Certified.
Berlin, July 25, 1887.
The Foreign Office of the German Impair.
By order.
(Signed) HELLWIG.

Certified to be a true and faithful translation of the foregoing document in the German language.

Berlin, July 25, 1887.
J. LEON BLEISHRODER,
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Ask any or all of the most eminent physicians,
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And they will tell you explicitly and emphatically,
"Buchu!"

Ask the same physicians,
"What is the most reliable and surest cure for all liver diseases or dyspepsia, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, malaria, fever, ague, &c!"
And they will tell you,
"Mandrake!
or
"Dandelion!"

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REMEDIES
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COMBINED
with
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THE COAL TRADE BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND THE EAST.

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It is said that the space traversed by the Imperial Canal which unites the Hoang-ho with the Yang-tse-kiang contains valuable coal seams which were cut through in making the canal. The great source of supply, however, comes from mines in the province of Shansi, at no great distance from Pekin. Here, according to Baron Richthofen, the coal seams are from 12 to 30 feet thick; but so inefficient is the coal-mining in these countries that in the very province where the coal abounds the people are brought to desperate straits for want of fuel, and this not only in winter, but in summer.

In all my travels in China I noticed this to be a striking peculiarity in the wants of the poorer classes. The same thing exists in Japan, but not to so large an extent. In China a clean sweep has been made of all the trees, and most of the brushwood. This gives to the scenery a peculiarly sterile appearance, which spring does not cover with verdure nor autumn mellow with its tints. The climate has been affected by it in a remarkable degree. The heat of the summer and the cold of the winter have both been intensified thereby. I may say I never felt cold winds with such piercing effect as in China. Nothing has been left as a shelter amid the all-consuming fuel-famine. Even the roots of grasses are dug out to supply a miserably inefficient material for firing.

The Shansi beds form a zone of no great width, but of considerable length. They contain the coal from which the capital derives its principal supplies. Though abundant, the quality is spoken of as inferior. After what has been stated as to the scarcity of timber fuel in China, one would think that in the severe winter climate, especially in the Shansi province, mineral fuel would be largely used by the population. But unfortunately it is a luxury only within reach of the rich. The great demand, besides the inefficient and expensive methods of obtaining the coal from the seams, and bad, unscientific mining, puts the fuel at a price which is out of reach of all but the very wealthy. It costs at Pekin 5 tiao, or 250 cash per 100 catties; while, dear as firewood is, it is little more than half that price. Considering the relative value of money, the sum quoted is very high indeed. The poorer classes, if they use coal at all, are obliged to content themselves with a culm from the poorest seams which is scarcely combustible.

The Chinese have for ages been accustomed to mix stable manure and similar combustible refuse with culm, or a coal containing much earthy matter. This is moulded into balls of fuel with water and a little good coaldust, and then dried in the sun. They smoulder rather than burn when in use, giving off little smoke, yet producing considerable heat. This fuel is the source of an extensive trade between Northern China and the most distant provinces. The manufacture, however, is not entirely confined to the province of Shansi, but wherever coal is found. A similar use is made of the culm by the peasantry in Wales.

But in reality Chinese coals have no place in the world's market, as they are not exported. It may be safely said that in any estimate which is taken of the future coal trade in the East, China may be left out of the question. It does not appear likely that it will ever be a coal-exporting country.

The case, however, is very different with Japan. The mineral fuels of those interesting islands are rapidly securing the most important place in the markets of the East. I can speak with more confidence, because I made this portion of the subject the object of special inquiries, and I visited some of the Japanese mines. Coal is very extensively distributed throughout the islands, being found at intervals in all the Archipelago from Nagasaki on the extreme south-west to Yesso, on the extreme north-east, a distance of fully 10 degrees of latitude and longitude. The principal mines are Takasima, near Nagasaki; Karatsu, on the island of Kiusiu; Funakimura, Miiké, Kadzuno, and Hiyamidzu, in the island of Niphon, and 12 mines in the island of Yesso. The products of the latter mines do not find their way as yet much into the market, because they are so very much more distant than the Takasima from the Chinese treaty ports. They are, however, reported as of variable quality in all their mineral constituents, with ash, ranging from 2 to 23 per cent. It has been calculated, from the seams exposed, that there are 6500 million tons of workable coal in Yesso alone; and though the figures come from the calculations of Japanese engineers, it is probable that they are not far from the truth.

But beyond question the principal mines are in the island of Takasima, a few miles from Nagasaki. As one steams up this beautiful harbour amidst the circlet of hills and mountains of charming aspect, one sees numberless sheltered bays, each with its trim-looking town lining the shore with peaked houses and pagodas. Noticeable amongst these are the mines of Takasima on the right, while Nagasaki is fully visible in front. In this island many seams of coal are visible, which will be described presently. Next to Takasima the most important mines in Western Japan are Miiké and Karatsu.

In Plunket's report on the mines of Japan (April 22, 1885) the area of the coal-bearing formation to which these mines belong was estimated at about 270 square miles. Speaking generally of the whole of the carbonaceous deposits, they may be classed as follows:—1. Seams of fibrous and earthy brown coal, generally of such limited extent, and of quality so inferior, as to be undeserving of notice. 2. Coal deposits along the eastern coast of the Island of Nippon, which begin at Skegawa and extend 30 miles to the north, with a width of $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles. With occasional interruptions, these coal deposits continue about 200 miles northward, with three seams; one, 6ft. to 9ft. and two of 1ft. wide. The mineral is black and shining, but only the first seam was worked, and of this but half was taken out, owing to the rest being too full of ash. Eventually the working of these seams was entirely abandoned.

The most important coalfields are in Yesso, which will be referred to presently, but I will now describe a little more in detail the products of the islands in the neighbourhood of Nagasaki. According to Godfrey (see Jour. Geol. Soc., vol. 34, p. 547) the Takasima mines furnish the best coal yet discovered in Japan, and as a steam coal, he says, it has been proved to be only about 10 per cent. inferior to the best Cardiff coal. By far the greater portion of this coal basin is now covered by the sea, and of course it is only from the islands that the seams can be worked. At Takasima there are six seams of varying thickness, namely:—1, at 160ft. an 8ft. seam, consisting of 15 inches shale, &c., and 7ft. coal; 2, at a depth of 228ft., a poor seam of stony coal, scarcely 2ft. thick; 3, at 273ft., a 1ft. seam; 4, about 70ft. deeper, a 2ft. seam, giving $1\frac{1}{2}$ft. of good coal; 5, 70ft. deeper, a 10ft. seam; 6, 125ft. deeper, 5ft. of coal: 7, 26ft. deeper, 3ft. of interlaminated coal, then 5ft. of shale, and what is called the thick coal, in which there is about 12ft. of good coal, with small partings of shale, &c.; 8, 20ft. below this is the last seam, with 3ft. of coal. After these follow about 600ft. more of these coal-measures.

In the Miiké Coal-mines there are two seams of good gas coal about 6ft. thick respectively, and two seams 3ft. and $1\frac{1}{2}$ft. respectively of very bad coal. The mines are situated nearly due east of Takasima. The Karatsu mines are to the north, and here there are only two seams of 2ft. and 5ft. respectively, but all this is not good coal.

The busy port of Nagasaki has nothing more remarkable about it than the islands where the mines are to be found. They are remarkable especially from the crowds of shipping, the shaft chimneys, and the cloud of black smoke which lies around them, so exceptional in the pure bright atmosphere of Japan. It is a busy spot, employing over 3000 men, women, and children. I am sorry to say that the female element strongly predominates, and that they are as poor-looking and neglected as similar feminine mining hands in Europe. Their dress is the usual blue cotton of the poorest classes—a raiment especially adapted to show forth the grimy character of coal-dirt most conspicuously. It is a sight never to be forgotten to note the swarms of these poor creatures crowded all over the lighters, the gangways and the holds of the mail and passenger steamers, passing from one to another the little bags of coal in which the mineral is brought from the mines.

The most of the fuel which is delivered on the steamers is nothing but coal-dust of rather a dull and soot-like appearance. Of course there is better than this, which is of the cheapest character. But dust though it be, it is a good steam coal; so I was informed by the engineers of the P. and O. Company. One of the officers to whom I was speaking said that he would as soon have it as the best Cardiff coal: but then it requires Chinese stokers to do it justice. This circumstance reveals another fact of which one hears a good deal in the East—that is, the efficiency of the Chinese coolie as a stoker. Once he has learned how to keep up his fires, and the kind of fire that is wanted, no one can compete with him in the stoking pigeon—so it is said.

The best specimens of Takasima coal that I saw appeared to me to be dull and brittle. It certainly does not bear much handling, and all the engineers who were in favour of it said that it should be delivered from the mouth of the pit into the steamers. At present the plan is for the merchant and mail steamers to coal at the anchorage below Deshima in Nagasaki Harbour. Thus the fuel has to be put on to lighters, and transferred from them to the ships which are to use it. It would be very easy for the steamers to load at the mines, where there is excellent anchorage and shelter, and deep water. The difficulty, of course, is the loss of time, as at present the work of coaling can go on while cargo is unloaded or taken on board.

As the supply from Takasima has at times been forced to its utmost limits to meet sudden demand, large shipments of coal have been made from other mines, notably Miiké and Kutchinotzu. The remunerative prices now obtained for Japanese fuel have brought many competitors from these islands into the market. But Takasima lump coal still commands a price of about $1\frac{1}{4}$ dollars per ton above all other kinds from Japan. Every one admits that it is the best in quality. A series of experiments were made at the instance of the P. and O. Company on the respective merits of the coal products of the various mines. The result was that preference was given to the Takasima coal for all steam purposes. It is admitted, however, that the recent deliveries show a very marked deterioration.

As I took a special interest in the question of Japanese coal, on account of its bearing on the Australian and Oriental coal trade, I made every inquiry on the subject, both in the merchant and naval services. I am bound to add, however, that those naval engineers with whom I have spoken dislike the Japanese coal very much, and say that it is wretched fuel. But it should be remembered that these gentlemen are used to the very best fuel, as it is not a question of expense with them. Wherever Cardiff coal can be got at a reasonable price, even though it be dearer than any other in the market, her Majesty's ships generally consume it. The supply of Cardiff coal in the market is uncertain, and often it cannot be got. It is about one-third dearer than the best Australian. This increased price would be a small consideration to the naval engineer, were it not that the Admiralty are trying lately to exercise a rigid economy, and the Admiral of the station wh[illegible] carrying out this idea is the one that [illegible] himself best to the home authorities.

It is only justice to add that those naval men with whom I conversed had as much prejudice against Australian coal as against the Japanese fuel. If anything the prejudice against the former was greater. I believe some of the objections are fully justified for reasons which I shall explain hereafter.

It has already been stated that Japanese coal is very modern geologically. It is of tertiary age, and not the oldest tertiary. I believe it has been ascertained beyond much dispute that it is not older than the miocene period. For all that, the strata look very ancient—as ancient as our own Newcastle series. They resemble them also in character. The shales and conglomerates of water-worn pebbles which I saw on the hill sides of Nagasaki reminded me very much of the strata exposed in the cliffs close to the Nobby at Newcastle. But mere lithological character is, of course, no guide in these matters. What is of more importance is the fossil evidence. This shows plants in some respect identical with those still growing in Japan, or at any rate, generally in harmony with the world's present or modern vegetation. Plant fossils, from the mines, have been made the subject of special memoirs, but this a technical part of the subject which I reserve for treatment in another place. I saw no fossils, but learned that several scientific observers had obtained large collections, so no doubt the literature of the subject will, before long, be very full and complete. I believe it is one of the very few tertiary coal beds which is extensively worked, or is much used. The brown coal deposits of the lower Rhine are of upper eocene age, with a flora of sub-tropical character, and Indian, Australian, or North American affinities. There are also occasional seams of brown coal in the upper eocene beds of the Vienna basin. A few years ago tertiary coals of a useful character would be regarded as almost an impossibility; but the remarkable geological discoveries in North Greenland have taught us better. Again, the latest English Arctic expedition brought to light a bed of coal, black, lustrous, and like one of the oldest fuels, from N. lat. 81·45. The seam is from 25 to 30 ft. thick, and is covered with black shales and sandstones, full of land plants (Geikie Text Book of Geology, p. 868). The flora is that of icy latitudes, but indicating a far more genial climate than that which prevails where the coal is found. The whole thing is a nut for geologists to crack, and shows us how little we know as yet. It is interesting, however, to us just now, as another instance of important tertiary coal-beds being in existence where least expected. The age of the Borneo coal, as already stated, has always been regarded, on the best authority as of tertiary age.

Whatever the enemies of the Japanese coals have to say against them, it is certain that they are steadily making their way into the Hongkong, Shanghai, and other Chinese markets to the disadvantage of all others. We find that from July to July, 1882-1883, 50 cargoes of Japanese coal were imported into Hongkong, amounting to 64,633 tons. In the year following, that is to July, '84, 67 cargoes were entered, amounting to 114,241 tons. In the next year, to July, 1885, 78 cargoes amounting to 158,729 tons. The price during this time has been gradually rising. The average price in 1883 was 6 dollars 8 cents per ton. The last quotations in 1885 was 6 dollars 53 cents. A sudden impetus was given to the coal trade by the Franco-Chinese war, but this affected almost every kind of coal equally. Of course, Hongkong felt it more than any other port, as this was the French and is the British coaling station. The Russian war scare also affected the same market during the first half of 1885, and then ensued a period of stagnation.

It may seem strange that the Japanese coal trade is of such recent growth, considering that the mines are so extensive, and have been opened so long. But it should be remembered that all commerce with other nations was restricted until within the last decade. Another reason was that there really existed no reliable and constant supply from any other port except English coal, which was too expensive, and Formosa coal, which, they say, will not burn. Australian coal had not taken its place fairly as a competitor. This will surprise many when it is remembered how long it is since sailing ships began first to clear from Newcastle for China with cargoes of coal; when it is remembered also how the number of these ships has been annually increasing. This kind of trade, however, in sailing ships was very different from that which now bids fair to keep a permanent supply on the market. Very rarely did any of these ships take cargoes of coal on their own account, and the supply was very uncertain, and, so to speak spasmodic. It will be found on inquiry that, though there were occasional exceptions, yet the most of the coal came for private orders, such as steamship companies, gas companies, &c. But now the imports of Australian coal are heavy, and it not unfrequently happens that the market is glutted, and there are reshipments to other Chinese ports.

The obvious explanation of this is the increasing steam traffic between China and Australia. This is the chief cause of so much coal being brought from our continent. We buy much from China, and China takes little or nothing from us in return. The vessels now employed in the fast-increasing trade return with coal on their own account, as they are unable to obtain general cargo in sufficient quantities to fill up.

Probably there was little ground for the apprehensions of those who feared that Australia was being driven out of the Chinese coal market by the Japanese article. Because in 1882 and 1883 (July to July) 83 cargoes of Australian coal arrived in Hongkong, amounting to 99,236 tons, which sold at an average price of 6·92 dollars per ton, during the same period 50 cargoes arrived from Japan, amounting to 64,633 tons, sold at an average of 6·08 dollars.

But the next year reversed the positions in a remarkable way. In 1883-4 only 63 cargoes came to Hongkong from Australia, or 88,135 tons; while 67 cargoes came from Japan, or 114,241 tons. The large increase in tonnage is due to the introduction of steamers of heavy burden into the trade. It was no wonder, therefore, that many came to the conclusion that Japan was throwing Australia out of the Chinese coal market, and there are still many persons of experience who say that the days of the coal trade between Australia and China are numbered.

In the following year there were grounds for a more cheerful view. The number of Australian cargoes rose to 89, and the tons of coal to 124,406. At the same time Japan far outstripped these figures by sending no less than 158,729 tons of coal to Hongkong alone. The price obtained during this period for the Australian article was 6dol. 68c. per ton. Japanese fuel had risen very much meanwhile, but was still a trifle below these quotations, the average price being 6dol. 53c. per ton. Of course the imports of Australian coal were exceptionally heavy, and about 10,000 tons of the quantity were re-shipped to Shanghai. The coal market in April, 1885, was in an excited state, and a considerable advance took place in prices, due to the Admiralty buying freely in anticipation of war with Russia, and consequently as speculative purchasers. But a sudden drop followed when it became evident that peace would be maintained, and at the close of the date mentioned quotations were ruling lower than they had been for some time previously.

THE ANCIENT SEPULCHRAL RELIEFS AT ATHENS.

The following interesting article on the ancient sepulchral reliefs at Athens was published in the *Spectator*:—

The unique series of ancient sepulchral reliefs which have been brought to light by excavations in the Ceramelcus, the public cemetery of ancient Athens, have two interests, at any rate, which it would be hard to exaggerate. For one thing, many of them are extraordinarily beautiful; for another, they illustrate as nothing else does certain aspects of Athenian life and civilisation at a period when Athens was still one of the great powers of Greece. Naturally, these reliefs are exceedingly various, both in date, and workmanship, and character. Some of them are archaic, and stiff, and formal. Others, again, easily distinguishable, are simply bits of bad work. But a large number are full of the most exquisite beauty and pathos; and it is chiefly of these that we wish to speak. In a great number of cases, the artist has chosen for representation on these monuments the last farewells between the dying person and the survivors. Evidently this was a very favourite form of sepulchral monument; and it admits of the expression of a far more delicate and a deeper pathos than any other form. There are reliefs representing the last farewells between husband and wife, between father and son, between mother and daughter, between friends. Sometimes the representation is allegorical. A lady takes her last look at her casket of jewels, which stand allegorically for the pleasant world to which she is saying farewell; and the relief is saved from all charge of triviality by the exquisite sadness of the lady's face. Of course, it must not be supposed that all the best reliefs represent these farewells. One of the most famous, erected to Dexileos, represents him as a victorious warrior in battle, slaying his foe. Still, what we have said is a true general description. Now, in order properly to appreciate the spirit of these grave monuments, we must remember that to the Greek death was necessarily far more terrible than it is to us. In the nature of things, he could have no "sure hope of a glorious Resurrection." Whatever may have been the exact conception of death current among the average Athenians of, say, the fourth century B.C., we know that they considered it "the supreme evil." Very few people indeed could have been convinced by Socrates' famous argument to his friends after his trial that it must, after all, be reckoned to be a good thing. To the ancient Greeks it was not only a dreadful mystery; it was the final parting from all that they held dear, from their families, from their friends, from life itself. It still had all its bitterness. Nothing could have been keener than the grief which it excited.

And yet almost the first thing which one notices about these reliefs is the resolute and strong restraint which the artist in each case has put upon himself in representing grief. There is no violence and no despair; no "madness of farewells." All passionate longings—

"to be drunk with loss,
To dance with death, to beat the ground."

is sternly repressed. And the result is that these artists have succeeded in representing the idea of a far deeper and a far keener grief than they could have done by pourtraying it in its more violent forms. Strength and violence are proverbially very different things; and nothing could well be more real and pathetic than this carefully restrained sorrow. The pathetic effect is enormously increased by the delicacy and refinement of every gesture represented. The exquisite caressing tenderness with which a woman touches her dying friend's cheek; the way in which the living and the dying clasp each other's hands for the last time; the way in which a child's hand rests upon its mother's knee, or grasps her garment as if to detain her; the folds of the drapery; the whole pose of the figures, are in the best reliefs admirably perfect and true. Those artists copied no conventional forms. They worked straight from nature. And their work is true in another and a higher sense. They had to represent the most solemn and the most tremendous parting imaginable, in which any unreality would be utterly out of place; and they have remembered this. The expression of the faces, and the whole attitude of the figures, are full of the keenest and most intense consciousness; and, at the same time, there is an absolute and complete absence of any self-consciousness whatever. There is something infinitely pathetic in the intense and tender wistfulness with which the persons on these monuments, the living and the dying, gaze into each other's eyes, sadly, for the last time. They are completely wrapped up in each other. They are quite unconscious of everything, save the one hard fact that one of them is dying, and is going a long way, they know not whither. The present writer knows nothing in the whole range of ancient sculpture which, for exquisite pathos, comes near some of these reliefs. Of course it must not be imagined that these remarks apply to anything like the whole series of them. In some instances, the faces have no very marked expression at all. In others, the effect is marred by a certain self-consciousness. For instance, there is a monument still standing in the Ceramelcus, generally referred to as the Demetria-Pamphile slab, which is much admired by travellers. It is not a relief in which people are saying farewell. The lady to whom it is erected is looking straight in front of her at the spectators. The execution is no doubt good, and the work has been well preserved. She is a very stately figure, though her expression is self-conscious. But it is impossible not to feel that we have lost all the sadness and wistfulness and pathos of those last farewells, and that their place is not adequately taken by a certain stateliness of demeanour.

And the strange thing about it all is that these reliefs are not the work of the great Athenian sculptors whose names are famous, and certainly by far the greater number are private monuments, and not public ones. Indeed, the majority are erected to women; several of them are in memory of children. One of the interesting things about them is that they are a specific illustration of the extremely high level of excellence reached by the average Athenian sculptor. Let anyone look through any good series of photographs of these Athenian monuments, and then go round St. Paul's or Westminster Abbey and look at the monuments therein—public monuments, be it remembered—and he will see the difference between England and Athens. It is true that there are curious faults in almost all the Greek reliefs, even in the best, which a sculptor of the first rank could not have afforded to leave uncorrected. Even in the finest female figures, the wrists, and forearm, and foot are often coarse bits of work. In several cases where the husband standing is saying farewell to his wife sitting down, there is no attempt to keep any proportion in size between the two; he is stunted, and it is quite evident that she would simply tower over him if she stood up. These defects are more curious because one of the most marked characteristics of the great Athenian work—*e.g.*, on the Acropolis—is the extraordinarily careful finish of all details, whether conspicuously placed or not. Fortunately, the faults in question do not in the least mar or interfere with the pathos of which we have been speaking.

There is another aspect of Athenian life which these reliefs illustrate—namely, the social side of it. The Athenians, it must be remembered, drew a very broad and deep line between public life, political and social, on the one hand, and domestic life on the other. The former was the exclusive sphere of men and citizens: the latter was the sphere of the free Athenian woman. She had no part in public and social life. Now, of course, we know a great deal about the Greeks, or rather the Athenians, from the remains of their magnificent literature and art. But in classical times, at any rate, this literature and art refer to and illustrate public and social life, from which the free woman was debarred, almost exclusively. As a rule, you get nothing more than allusions to domestic life. The result has been that the Athenian character has not unfrequently been seriously misrepresented by modern writers. Because the Athenians did not talk much about their domestic life, it has been assumed that they had none. One of the interests of these funeral monuments is that it is no longer possible for anyone to argue, with a certain most learned German professor, that in the eyes of the Athenians their free women belonged to an inferior order of beings: that they were "naturally prone to evil;" that true love between men and women was an impossibility, and so on. A very large number of these reliefs are, as we have said, in memory of women; wives, mothers, children, friends; and whatever be the exact form taken by the monument in each case, it is as clear as daylight that the husband, the children, the mother, the friend, had a very deep and true and pure love for the woman commemorated. These are certainly not partings between a superior and an inferior order of beings. Granted that at Athens free women were not allowed to overstep their sphere, and that their sphere was a narrow one, still these bas-reliefs are evidence which is unimpeachable and incontrovertible of the strength and purity within that sphere of the domestic affections.

We trust that we have succeeded in bringing out the fact that these ancient Athenian grave monuments have a beauty and an interest which are peculiarly their own. It is much to be regretted that they are not more widely know than they are. It is impossible, as far as the present writer's experience goes, to purchase really satisfactory photographs of them in London; though Constantin, of Athens, has published and sells a very good series in two sizes. May we appeal to the authorities of the British Museum to obtain for their gallery of ancient sculpture, which is so splendidly rich in the remains of Periclean Athens, a selection, at any rate, of casts of these sepulchral reliefs?

SOAP AND CANDLE MAKING IN THE NORTH.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

The works of the Sydney Soap and Candle Company are somewhat anomalously situated at Waratah near Newcastle. They are the most complete in Australia. They were opened a little over two years ago at a cost of £75,000, the capital of the company being £105,000. There are only five shareholders in this company, of whom three belong to New South Wales and two to Victoria. The managing principal is Mr. Charles Upfold, who carried on the works in a very embryo state many years ago. They have been from time to time extended until the formation of the company with the large capital mentioned caused the present large industry to spring into existence. The total amount of ground connected with the works is 24 acres, while the space actually covered by the buildings is six acres, the whole of the buildings being of galvanised iron with the exception of the still-room, which is of brick. The size of the largest building is 130ft. long by 80ft. wide. The names of the different rooms are as follows:—The soap-room, the tallow-room for tallow melting, the machine shop, the still-room, the press-room, the candle-making-room, the store-room, the candle-box shop, the lubricating and oil room, the store-room and tallow store, and the soap box making-room.

I was shown over the building by Mr. Upfold, and the process of soap and candle making explained as it passed before my eyes. It is unnecessary to explain it at length, for the plan pursued here is the same as that pursued at other factories of a similar kind. What especially struck me about the place was its extreme cleanliness, considering the greasy work done. Both the soap and candles are made from tallow—in the case of the former, certain chemical ingredients (such as resin, caustic soda, potash, silicate of soda, &c.) being used to transform the fat into soap; and in the case of the latter the process may be simply described as that of refining the tallow until with the admixture of the necessary oil it forms the material of which stearine (commonly called "sperm") candles are made. In the case of the soap, the tallow, after being melted, is lifted into pans on the first floor, one of which has a capacity of 70 tons, the whole of the nine pans holding some 200 tons. Mr. Upfold believes the 70-ton pan is the largest out of England. Here it undergoes the process of heating and clarifying, being mixed with certain chemicals, notably potash, silicate, &c. The potash is imported from America, and Brother Jonathan certainly plays "low down" on his Australian cousin in the manner in which he manages to palm off a very much adulterated article for the real potash. Mr. Upfold has to carefully put the whole of the imported article through a course of treatment in order to extract the very large percentage of sulphate of soda from it. This comes away in the form of crystals that adhere, to the depth of an inch, to the side of the vessel in which the potash has been reduced to a liquid form. From the pans the liquefied tallow (heated by means of steam-pipes) passes into some other vessels, notably a large cylindrical tube, in which it is thoroughly mixed by revolving paddles, afterwards falling by gravitation into square boxes beneath, where, after being allowed to cool, it is cut first into planks or boards of soap, and afterwards into bars. The soap made is of various qualities, and including the soft, hard, the mottled, glycerine, and fancy soaps, some of the latter being exceedingly pretty in appearance, and equal to anything imported.

The candle industry is, of course, carried on in different buildings from those employed in the manufacture of soap. Generally speaking, the work may be described as a clarifying and refining of tallow until it becomes as white as water, after undergoing various processes. A certain proportion of Palm oil is then mixed with it, and it is allowed to settle in blocks, which, after being cooled, are placed in cloths, and subjected to a pressure of something like 200 tons, which reduces the blocks to less than a third of their original thickness. They are then broken up and again melted, after which the liquid is poured into moulds, and, having been allowed to cool, the now manufactured candles are cut off to their proper length and polished—all by machinery—and then placed away in boxes ready for the market. A considerable amount of glycerine is extracted from the fat during the various processes through which it has to go, as well as a large quantity of thick tarry grease—the one being perfectly pure and fit for the chemist, the other perfectly black and fit for the wheel, in the shape of cart grease—and there is a ready market for both.

In connection with these extensive works there is a very large quantity of machinery of the newest character and construction. Everything is worked by means of steam pipes, from water which is to be found by means of wells and pumping beneath the building in almost inexhaustible supplies. There is a small but apparently efficient fire brigade in connection with the works, possessing a small engine of very excellent construction. A few weeks ago a dummy house was constructed a short distance from the main building, and was filled with empty tallow and resin barrels, and other combustible materials, set on fire, and the alarm rung forth. Mr. Upfold assured me that in three minutes the members of the brigade had the engine out, the hose attached, and were playing on the burning structure; but, judging from its appearance when I saw it, they do not appear to have been successful in saving it from destruction. No previous notice had been given of this alarm; naturally, therefore, when the flames lighted up the sky the Newcastle and other brigades were rapidly making towards the scene, and their disgust when they found the real state of affairs may be better imagined than described. Some of them were heard to say that if the factory really did take fire, it would have an excellent chance of being destroyed before help was rendered. My own opinion is that if a fire really took place at the works, nothing could save them except at its very initial stage.

There is in connection with these works a boiling-down establishment at Alexandria, Sydney, where much of the tallow used at Waratah is produced. This boiling-down establishment, which employs about a dozen hands, is said to be one of the most perfect and complete in the colony. In addition to boiling down it also does a considerable amount of bone crushing. Its purchases are made from the abattoirs at Glebe Island direct, at least so far as the boiling down is concerned.

There are employed at the Waratah Works a hundred hands, of whom nearly the whole are men, boys being apparently quite at a discount, though I noticed about half-a-dozen in connection with the candle-cutting machine, &c. The entire expenditure of the company per year is about £120,000, or £10,000 a month. They turn out 2000 boxes, equal to 22 tons, of candles per week, and 30 tons of soap, the value of the former being £54, and of the latter £20 per ton, showing a total output of the value of £1788 weekly, or £92,976 per annum. There are, however, I presume, other sources of income in connection with the business which more than covers the £120,000, seeing that the industry is at present a paying one. Nearly the whole of the trade is confined to Australia—mainly to New South Wales, though shipments are made to the Pacific Islands, indeed even to the Mauritius. I said just above that the industry "at present" is a paying one, but Mr. Upfold intimated to me that it would not be so long, unless the company, like the Government, went in for the most careful retrenchment. This retrenchment would probably, he explained, lead to a reduction not only in the number of hands, but also in wages. For this state of things the company have, he says, to thank the Government. What they want is more protection, for they cannot afford to fight against Belgium and other low-wage countries. I am giving his view of the case. When the company was formed and the works opened in March, 1885 there was a penny a pound duty on candles; but Mr. Upfold said it was pretty well known, and the works were started on the understanding (the "understanding" only, as I took it, extending to the company), that a halfpenny a pound more would be put on; and this it was about the time that the works were started. This tax lasted for something like a year, and this assistance was sufficient to place the company in a very good position, as they were able to fight the local importer; not only to fight him, but to bring about a fall in the price of candles. When they started work the price of imported candles was $7\frac{1}{2}$d. and 8d. a pound; but in consequence of being able to command the local market, the Sydney Soap and Candle Company very soon brought them down to $5\frac{1}{2}$d., wholesale being understood in all these cases. One reason for this fall, however, was the fact that tallow fell £2 or £3 a ton soon after the works were established. Thus for 12 months the company ran a very smooth and successful career. As soon, however, as the halfpenny was taken off, the manager saw trouble looming in the future. Large orders again went home from the local importers, but these orders have not yet arrived, and consequently have not so far had any effect upon the market. But it is coming, and that very rapidly, according to Mr. Upfold. One of the first effects it will have will be to increase the price of candles, because the Sydney Soap and Candle Company will not then be able to place sufficiently large stocks on the market to command it, in consequence of the large arrivals of the foreign article. According to Mr. Upfold the public will not get the benefit of these importations, but the importers will, while the company under notice will probably have to discharge a third of their hands and make corresponding reductions in the wages paid. Mr. Upfold says that during the past twelve months the three-halfpenny tax has enabled them by an extensive sale of their candles to prove their quality, and so establish the people's faith in them. Yet in consequence of this removal of a halfpenny a pound from the duty they will be, as it were, if not completely crushed, very seriously crippled. In the matter of soap they can more than hold their own, but without this extra halfpenny on candles they can't successfully resist the "foreign invader." Mr. Upfold says they don't want twopence—in fact it would do them more harm than good by bringing over-competition into the field, and over-competition would mean over-production, which would be bad for all parties. But a halfpenny is exactly the little coin which would put things right again. The company do not want to make more than a fair profit; if they did, the same results, viz., competition and over production, would ensue. Then, again, Mr. Upfold complained bitterly of the import duty of £6 per ton on palm oil (extensively used in his manufactures), while candles, which contained the very same ingredients, could come over the border duty free, and so place the manufacturer here in a very unfair position. And then the question of intercolonial reciprocity was dwelt upon, and I found that the managing-principal had no objection whatever to Victoria sending any of her productions or manufactures here free, so long as New South Wales was placed in the same favourable position. But one thing he most strenuously impressed upon me, and that was that unless "they had this extra halfpenny" of protection, the Sydney soap and candle industry would suffer an irreparable injury.

THE RAILWAY ARBITRATION CASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In yesterday's issue of the *Herald* there appears a report from the Law Department of the Crown, signed by Mr. Williams, the language of which conveys the impression that while I was Attorney-General I was also acting as counsel for Mr. M'Sharry, and had advised the Government as to arbitrating the case. Last night, in my place in the House, I gave this an emphatic denial, and explained who it was that advised this course, and showing I was not counsel for M'Sharry, nor had I advised the Government in the matter. Your report of my speech is so curtailed as not to give a proper explanation of the matter. May I ask you, as a favour, to print the copy from *Hansard*, which correctly states my position.

I am, &c.,
Chambers, October 7. J. H. WANT.

"Mr. Want: Having only arrived in town this morning, I had no opportunity of knowing before what had been said in the House last night, or, more correctly speaking, written in the papers laid on the table; but I noticed something in the columns of a newspaper this morning putting a construction upon my conduct as Attorney-General that is absolutely untrue. I feel justified, therefore, in asking the indulgence of hon. members whilst I say a few words upon the subject. I am represented in a newspaper this morning, and, I believe, also in the contents of the document laid on the table of the House, as having acted as counsel for Mr. M'Sharry whilst I was Attorney-General. Now, that is absolutely without foundation. The facts of the case are shortly these: I had a special retainer from Mr. M'Sharry in the case which he was then bringing against the Government, and nothing more—I knew nothing more of the case. Immediately I accepted the portfolio of Attorney-General I gave up that retainer, as I felt bound to do, but I must confess that I did so with some regret at the time, as there were prospects of a very good thing in view. However, I felt bound to stick to my party, and after accepting the office of Attorney-General I had nothing more whatever to do with the case, and, inasmuch as I had received a retainer in it, I objected to advise the Government in it. I objected to take any part in the deliberations of the Cabinet respecting it. I asked my colleagues to allow me to stand aloof in the consideration of the question. It has always been the practice of the Crown law offices that the civil business of the Crown is done entirely out of the office of the Attorney-General. Counsel are employed to advise the Crown on civil matters and to conduct Crown cases, and in this particular instance, when I first came on the scene, Mr. Matthew Henry Stephen, now Mr. Justice Stephen, was leading counsel for the Crown, Mr. Pilcher junior counsel, and Mr. C. B. Stephen third counsel. I can only say that my knowledge of the arbitration is this:—These three gentlemen informed the Crown Solicitor that it would be impossible to conduct the case in an ordinary Court. They expressed a strong opinion that it ought to be submitted to arbitration. I simply informed my then colleague, Mr. Lyne, of the fact, but I declined to advise in any form, and I took no part in the deliberations of the Cabinet as to whether or not the matter should be referred to arbitration. It being a matter which affected the office which I held, the meeting was held in the Attorney-General's chambers, the Cabinet acting on the advice of the counsel who had been retained for the Crown, not on mine at all, and acting on the suggestion of Mr. Darley, now Sir Frederick Darley, on the other side, and his junior counsel, Mr. O'Connor—all the counsel agreed that it was a case which, if it went into Court, would occupy a year or nearly so, and block the whole of the routine business—decided that the case should be referred to arbitration. All along both parties desired that the case should be referred to arbitration. As far as I am concerned it is a most improper thing to say that I was the cause of it; that is a statement unworthy of the man who makes it. I repeat that from the time of my taking the office of Attorney-General until I relinquished it I had nothing whatever to do with M'Sharry's case in any shape or form."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I enclose a copy of *Hansard* report in reference to the matter of the M'Sharry case, brought by me before the Assembly last night, and shall be obliged if you will insert it in to-morrow's paper. I wish for a full report, because I desire my action in this case to be thoroughly understood by the public; as I intend at a future date to refer to the course pursued by the present Ministry in reference thereto.

I am, &c., WILLIAM JOHN LYNE.
October 7.

"PERSONAL EXPLANATION.

"Mr. Lyne: I desire to make a personal explanation. A paper appears to have been laid on the table of the House last night by the Attorney-General. I have not seen that paper, and therefore I have to take what purports to be a reprint of it published in this morning's papers. They relate to the arbitration case of M'Sharry v. the Commissioner for Railways. The Attorney-General, in laying the papers on the table, stated that the opinion obtained from the Crown Solicitor disclosed the fact that Mr. Salomons, Q.C., recommended that the case should not be dealt with by arbitration, and that, had this opinion been acted upon, the country would have been saved £30,000. The paper is as follows:—[The hon. member here read the paper.] Now this paper appears to have been laid on the table of the House without having been asked for by any hon. member, giving this gratuitous information in reference to the M'Sharry case, and I have no hesitation in saying that the document is incorrect. I will point out in one particular, at any rate, where it is not correct. It states that the hon. and learned member for Gundagai, myself, and Mr. Williams, met at Mr. Williams's chambers, and that the hon. and learned member for Gundagai was plaintiffs' counsel. It is absolutely untrue; he was not plaintiffs' counsel. I have seen him, and he denies it. I have a letter from Mr. M'Sharry, in which that gentleman says that Mr. Want was not plaintiffs' counsel. The letter is addressed to the hon. member for Newcastle, and in it Mr. M'Sharry says:—'By the leading article in the *Evening News* Mr. Want is accused of being my counsel while holding the position of Attorney-General. Anything more wholly untrue never was stated. In fact, the answers supplied to Mr. Thompson's questions by the Department are equally untrue.' That is signed by Mr. M'Sharry. So much for this gratuitous information which the Attorney-General thought fit to give to the House last night, without its being asked for. What I want particularly to point out is that that document was laid on the table of the House, as far as I can see, to prejudice me, as the Minister for the time being, in regard to this case. The case is simply this: The Engineer-in-Chief for Railways has been in the habit of refusing to all railway contractors a certificate of the completion of their work; and by withholding it he prevented any contractor from exercising his legal rights against the Department. He could not sue in any Court as long as the certificate was withheld. An action was started by Mr. M'Sharry to compel the Engineer-in-Chief to give a certificate; and Sir William Manning directed that he should give it. The Engineer-in-Chief then desired to appeal, and refused to give up the certificate. My position is this, that I have always held that every man, no matter what his position, should have his legal rights, and should not be debarred by any official withholding that certificate from the exercise of those rights. He should not be placed in a worse position than any other man in the community. Prior to this I had prepared an arbitration clause, to be inserted in all railway contracts; and that clause has since been inserted. Under the circumstances I felt that I was justified in refusing to allow the Crown law officers to go on with an appeal of this nature, which would preclude this person from bringing his action against the Department. When the case was brought before the Court and the jury empannelled, an application was made to submit the case to arbitration; and I allowed the case to be submitted. I say that it is very much better to have cases of this kind submitted to the arbitration of competent men than submitted to a jury of men picked up in the streets of Sydney, who cannot know anything professionally of the matters upon which they have to adjudicate."

RAILWAY FROM LIVERPOOL TO ST. PETERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—For the convenience of the residents of Liverpool and Holdsworthy a bridge across George's River, immediately to the south of Liverpool, has long been much needed; and such bridge (for ordinary traffic only) could be constructed for comparatively small cost. For important public purposes it is also necessary to have the Great Southern railway continued from the vicinity of Liverpool direct to Sydney, via Canterbury and St. Peters. But the important public purposes referred to are altogether ignored, it may be observed, by the Liverpool residents, who (acting on "a bridge agin my own door" policy) have just passed the following resolution:—"That it is necessary that the line from St. Peters to Liverpool be constructed so that the bridge across George's River may be utilised for the traffic between Holdsworthy and Liverpool." This resolution, put in other words, might be read thus:—"To cause the erection of a railway bridge which could also be used for the ordinary traffic between Liverpool and Holdsworthy, a part of the Great Southern Railway should be constructed along a route which, in its last three or four miles before reaching Liverpool, would need two expensive bridges over George's River, and embankments and viaducts through about three miles of flat country liable to be flooded." With your kind permission I should like to suggest the following question for the consideration of the Government. Instead of taking this necessary railway by such unsuitable and unnecessary route, and thus increasing its cost by £150,000 and upwards, would it not be advisable to devote £5000 or £6000 to the erection of a separate bridge for the Liverpool and Holdsworthy local traffic? The important public purposes which alone warrant the construction of this railway would certainly be served much more effectively if a different route were adopted, and the £150,000 and upwards saved. I am, &c.,
October 5. CUMBERLAND.

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*THE AUSTRALIAN RACE.**

The value of a publication is not always in proportion to the time and labour spent in composing it. Many instances will occur to the reader where the ratio between the work and the labour expended on it is an inverse one—where the *ridiculus mus* of the fable has resulted from years of literary parturition. As some of the books that have charmed and instructed men for generations were written in comparatively short periods of time, so, not a few of the dullest and dreariest tomes which have done so much to make men regret the invention of letters were the work of a life. The volumes before us belong to the class of works in which great labour is followed by worthy results. They are certain to secure the first place among the numerous publications dealing with the Australian aborigines. To the performance of his self-imposed task Mr. Curr brought two recommendations not always found combined in the same person—a sound knowledge of the work to be done, and a clear conception of the best way to do it. In other words, many years of close and personal intercourse with the blacks afforded him every facility for studying their manners and customs, while a literary style at once perspicuous and pleasant, conferred on him the means for placing his views properly before the public. Most, if not all, of the author's predecessors in this field of inquiry were either men whose observations were limited to short periods of time and circumscribed areas of country, or writers who did not speak from personal knowledge, and whose works, however commendable, are but compilations at the best. Some of the errors into which writers inadvertently fall, whose knowledge of a people is gleaned from books alone, are clearly pointed out. If there are branches of knowledge which a man can master without leaving his own fireside, so there are some which no mere reader of books can ever adequately acquire. Foremost among the latter is a minute acquaintance with the characteristics of a strange people. There is little doubt that a few months' residence in a continental town would do more to make a foreigner acquainted with the peculiarities of its inhabitants, provided he understood their tongue and took notice of what was passing around him, than years spent in reading the opinions given by travellers. It is this personal familiarity with the Australian aborigines, combined with the comprehensive design of the book itself, that gives to the work of Mr. Curr such a high value.

In the introduction we are told that so far back as 1866 the author was invited by a number of Melbourne gentlemen to assist in compiling some Victorian vocabularies. For reasons not assigned he did not comply and, indeed, appears to have thought the subject of no great moment. In 1873, however, during a conversation with a Swan Hill black, the use of a word common in a tribe 150 miles away, but unknown in the intervening country, attracted his notice. The word in question seems to have had on Mr. Curr an effect somewhat similar to that made on Bishop Colenso by the Zulu's query concerning Noah and the Deluge. It set him a-thinking. It induced him to collect short vocabularies of neighbouring tribes. The "Australian Race" is the result of such a modest beginning. The work rapidly developed into a labour of love. Aided by the experience and inquiries of observant men scattered through the island-continent, vocabularies of distant tribes have been arranged and compared. Great pains have evidently been taken, not alone in collecting evidence regarding the manners and habits of widely separated septs, but in the much more onerous task of sifting it. Among the most difficult of tasks is that of assigning to human testimony its true value. It is to this difficulty we owe the divergent and sometimes contradictory opinions expressed by historians of undoubted honesty concerning the character of past events and of the persons who shaped them. Another fact that will greatly enhance the value of Mr. Curr's book in unprejudiced minds is that he appears to have prosecuted his inquiries not for the purpose of supporting a pre-conceived theory, but for the purpose of following the truth wherever it led. This of itself, is no unimportant recommendation. However ingenious an hypothesis may be, its value is greatly damaged, if not entirely destroyed by the knowledge that the facts which go to support it were sought for when the hypothesis itself had assumed a definite shape in the author's mind, while other facts telling against it were either relegated to a subordinate position or entirely ignored. The importance of the deductive system is quite as great as that of the inductive; the methods are, indeed, complementary. The misfortune is, that many reasoners of the "so much the worse for the facts" school are prone to adopt the *à priori* system when the *à posteriori* is clearly indicated. Having said so much it is time to turn to Mr. Curr's work, and examine it in detail.

It is to the first volume we intend to devote attention, as the subsequent ones are chiefly taken up with vocabularies. These laboriously-compiled glossaries, although of the highest value to the comparative philologist, are better fitted for a scientific than for a popular review. The first chapter is headed "Remarks on the aboriginal languages of Australia." From it we learn that "the languages of Australia are, in the main, soft, vocalic, and melodious. They all contain, however, in very different degrees sounds difficult for an Englishman to pronounce. . . The whole of the Australian languages are pretty nearly as intimately connected as Spanish and Portuguese: they are all descended from a common source." The grammars so far as they have been constructed show that "verbs have no infinitive moods, nouns no genders; that adjectives have only two degrees of comparison, and the personal pronouns have *singular*, dual, and plural numbers." There appear to be no articles, auxiliary verbs, relative pronouns, or prepositions. There are no distinctions of gender, and no passive form of the verb. If language is an index of civilisation, it needed but an acquaintance with Australian dialects to show that the people using such elementary methods for expressing their thoughts were at the very bottom of the scale of humanity. Nor is this first impression weakened by a personal knowledge of the aborigines and their ways. At one time Mr. Curr doubted whether an Australian native could ever speak English properly, even if brought up from infancy among the whites. His doubts, however, were removed by obtaining trustworthy evidence that a black child reared in a convent, near Brisbane, "learnt to speak our language without any noticeable peculiarity whatever." Such is the poverty of some native tongues that oral precision is impossible. Thus "collective terms, terms expressive of the moral sentiments, terms of endearment, are, it might almost be said, entirely wanting in them." There are cases where three such dissimilar words as breasts, milk, and rain have "but one word in a language to express the three." It is at this point that Mr. Curr makes what appears to us a somewhat bold statement. "We must bear in mind," he says, "that the Australian tongues are rich in substantives of other kinds, and possess some useful grammatical inflexions of verbs and pronouns which are wanting, for instance, in some of the Aryan languages." From this he infers that "the fundamental excellences and defects of languages are apart from and independent of the culture and brain-power of the peoples which use them." This conclusion appears to have been come to because of the absence from some Aryan tongues of a few verbal and pronominal inflections to be found in some Australian. But, surely, there is not only a close connection between civilisation and a refined vehicle of thought, but between barbarism and a rude one. Is it possible to conceive a modern European using a tongue containing no passive forms, no distinctions of gender, and no relative pronouns, or a modern Australian savage making use of the language of Addison, of Voltaire, or of Goethe to make his elementary wants known?

Many Australian tribes show a tendency to use the same or almost similar words to express blackfellow and kangaroo. We find, for instance, such resemblances as—Blackfellow, koona, kooroo, kori, kangaroo, kulla, koola, koora, &c., &c. Regarding this peculiarity Mr. Curr remarks:—"Considering the facts, I am inclined to believe that the tribal name of the first comers to this continent began with the sound Koo, and that they, finding no human inhabitants in the new land, whimsically called the kangaroo, which they saw standing erect like themselves, by their own tribal name." Whether this explanation is the true one or not is now a matter of little consequence. It is at all events an ingenious one. At page 82 we find:—"No Australian black in his wild state can, I believe, practically count as high as seven. If you laid seven pins on a table for a black to reckon, and then abstracted two, he would not miss them. If one were removed he would miss it, because his manner of counting by ones and twos amounts to the same as if he reckoned by odds and evens." This fact has been noticed by other writers, but it is almost as difficult for the ordinary European to conceive a mind which can take cognisance of the removal of one object but not of two as it is for an ignorant man to grasp the idea of the geometrical curves which ever approach but never meet. The word "handsome," we are told, "does not appear in the general vocabulary." At the risk of a mild persiflage, the opinion might be ventured that the cause of the absence of that term from the aboriginal languages will be readily understood by anyone even slightly acquainted with the native and his surroundings.

The third chapter, dealing with the "manners and customs" of the aborigines, is one of the most interesting in the book. That in no instance has the Australian been known to sow or plant anything is of itself a remarkable circumstance. Nor is its singularity lessened by the fact that the universal practice of infanticide was, in some cases at least, traceable to the fear of inability to provide for an increase in population. Mr. Curr clearly proves that the horrible practice of child-murder was not, in the majority of instances, owing to the fear of want, but to the difficulty experienced by the parents in moving from place to place when encumbered with young children. That the fear of hunger had something to do with it as well is very probable. How it came to pass then that unnumbered generations came and went without making an effort to augment their food supplies by some kind of rude husbandry is curious. Those who opine that the Australian came from New Guinea—Mr. Curr is not of them, as will be seen further on—should be prepared with a reason explanatory of his having neglected to adopt in the large island some of the modes of life followed in the smaller. At page 39 the author remarks:—"The voice of the black is musical. I have often noticed that when he meditates treachery his voice invariably betrays him. The neck of the black is shorter and thicker than that of the Anglo-Saxon, on which account our coats and neckties do not become him." It is doubtful, however, whether any conformation of neck would enable the native to carry gracefully the garb of civilisation. "His tactics in war are such that he will never undertake an enterprise in which the death of even one of the party is inevitable or nearly so. Hence no blacks, however numerous, will attempt to rush a hut in which there is one armed man on his guard." It is no doubt to this circumstance that many explorers of the past and many isolated station hands of the present owe their comparative safety. "I am strongly of opinion," the author observes, "that those who have written to show that the blacks had some knowledge of God, practised prayer, and believed in places of reward and punishment beyond the grave have been imposed upon, and that until they had learnt something of Christianity from missionaries and others, the blacks had no beliefs or practices of the sort." The native doctor appears to be a person of much note. When a patient gets well under his hands he probably calls attention to what the result might have been had any other practitioner been employed; while, should the afflicted one die, he is prepared, no doubt, to show how much sooner death would have occurred but for his exceptional skill. The only recompense these clever practitioners seem to obtain is "much honour in their tribes, and more than their fair share of wives." Why a person who ran the risk of being reimbursed in the latter manner should continue the practice of medicine, merely shows how attached some people are to their profession. Mr. Curr saw a doctor of the Bangerang tribe apply his mouth to the skin over a patient's heart, and suck from that organ "bits of wood two inches long, and as thick as a slate pencil, which he said had been injected by sorcery into the patient by some hostile doctor." It is little wonder these men are so honoured. The really droll part of the affair was when the doctor himself felt out of sorts another practitioner would come and extract sticks from him. The following is suggestive:—"In some of the tribes of the Burdekin county of Queensland, the doctors, instead of bits of stick, manufacture articles of wood, more or less elaborately, which they pretend to extract from the person of the sick. One of these, of which a drawing is attached, I formerly lent to Mr. R. Brough Smyth, not knowing at the time what was its use, and he has depicted it in his "Aborigines of Victoria," and described it as probably a fish-hook! That a fish with a mouth sufficiently capacious to take in an object of such length would be too heavy to be held by so fragile a hook, as I pointed out, failed to convince him of his mistake.' There is a family resemblance between this anecdote and the "Bill his X mark Stiles" found on the old Roman mile-stone that fell into the possession of the late Mr. Pickwick. It is far from improbable that some expert, thousands of miles away, based an ingenious argument on Mr. Smyth's illustration of an aboriginal fish-hook.

Remembering the opportunities enjoyed by Mr. Curr for obtaining an insight into savage life, and the evident care taken by him in examining evidence, it is little wonder that his opinions should carry great weight. He gives his predecessors credit for their labours, but does not forget to point out their mistakes. Thus, when Mr. Smyth asserts that before the coming of the whites the Victorian tribes were "governed by regular councils of old men," our author remarks:—"On what authority this statement is made does not appear as it should have done, because we know that Mr. Smyth has no personal knowledge of the blacks. Except Mr. Smyth and two other writers, to whom I shall refer presently, no one that I can recollect has seriously asserted that government exists in our tribes. No squatter that I have been able to hear of during a diligent inquiry extending over more than ten years has ever met with anything of the sort. Neither did I, during a 15 years' residence among the blacks, detect it. In fact, that writer's chapter on encampment and daily life abounds with all sorts of misstatements." This is plain speaking, but not too plain in view of the evidence adduced. Nor is it possible to altogether condemn this militant tone when we remember that the errors of careless or hurried observers become perpetuated, and at last find their way into standard works of European note. Thus, our author points out how, misled by Captain Grey (the present Sir George Grey, of New Zealand), M'Lennon, in his "Studies of Ancient History," has made many incorrect assertions concerning Australian aboriginal life. At the same time, while believing that the book before us is destined to become the standard one on the subject of which it treats, we deem it our duty to invite attention to a few slight inconsistencies. At page 80, for instance, we are told that "certain vegetables on which whole tribes live are in their raw state, or when simply roasted on the fire, absolutely poisonous." Further, that "Dr. Leichhardt, a scientific explorer, was unable to master the process (of native preparation), and obtain food from this source for his almost starving party. Some of these vegetables are so acrid in their natural state that I can only attribute the first attempts of the blacks to make use of them, and their ultimate success in the matter, to Divine interference." This, we submit, although a very easy explanation, is by no means a philosophical one. For it is not too much to suppose that the Providence which taught the starving blacks how to render poisonous plants innocuous and wholesome would be equally merciful to the starving whites. Divine interference is a convenient phrase, but it is doubtful whether it will pass current in the present case. It is dangerous, too, for to the sceptic it suggests the very natural reflection that the interposition might have gone a step further and helped the aboriginal towards a higher civilisation and a higher life. On the whole, Mr. Curr's explanation of a certainly remarkable fact is open to serious objection.

The chapter dealing with the marriage customs of the natives is replete with interest. How such an involved code arose among people whose knowledge of numbers might be said to be limited to the fingers of one hand, is extremely singular. In his observations on the "weapons and implements" of the Australians, the author alludes to the curious circumstance, that the bow and arrow never obtained a footing in this quarter of the world. The "diseases and decline" of the aborigines form a gruesome picture, and one in which nineteenth century civilisation does not appear at its best. "Towns destroy by drunkenness and debauchery; in the country, from 15 to five-and-twenty per cent. fall by the rifle; the tribe then submits, and diseases of European origin complete the process of extermination." On more than one occasion smallpox has decimated the tribes. In April, 1789, 15 months after the arrival of the first fleet, the colonists whom business or pleasure prompted to take a trip down Sydney Harbour found the dead bodies of natives scattered on rocks, beaches, and spits of land. Says Mr. Curr:—"Experience shows that a populous town will kill out the tribes which live near enough to visit it daily in from two to ten years." At such a rate the day cannot be far distant when the Australian aboriginal, like his Tasmanian brother, will have entirely disappeared.

Chapters six and seven, containing Mr. Curr's speculations on the "origin" and on the "arrival and spread" of the native race, we have left to the last. The author considers that the Australians are of negro descent, crossed at some remote period by a fairer race. His opinion is based on a consideration of the physical character, customs, and languages of these widely-separated families. When it is remembered that the nearest point of Africa is about 5000 miles as the crow flies from the assigned landing place in North-Western Australia, Mr. Curr's task will appear no easy one. He begins by collecting and arranging testimony tending to prove that all the negro tribes of Africa are derived from one stock, and that the Australians also are a homogeneous people. The next step is to show the relationship between the two. The evidence on the latter point is necessarily vague, and cannot be called conclusive. For instance, it is remarked at the outset that "whether the Australian has a knowledge of the existence of God is at least doubtful; but certainly he has no religious tenets nor system of worship. The same, or nearly the same, may be said of the African." It is but fair to the author to say that he does not pursue this negative line of argument far, nor lean heavily on it. It is a very dangerous method at the best, and in many departments of human knowledge would produce some surprising results if followed to its logical ending. Nor would it be judicious to depend too much on the evidences regarding the practices of cannibalism, of scarring the body, and of a rite at one time thought peculiar to the children of Israel. Customs more or less akin to the Australian ones of burial, of breaking children's front teeth, of drinking from a stream, of making fire by friction, &c., &c., are found to be common in the Dark Continent as well. Whether it is wise, however, to assign much weight to general resemblances of this kind is doubtful. Instead of petticoats, African women frequently wear thongs or strings depending from a girdle. This practice is found in Australia also, and becomes in Mr. Curr's hands a link in the chain of evidence pointing to a negro ancestry. The following quotation, too, is extracted from Schweinfurth's "Heart of Africa":—"The African savages are not like the American Indians, who are always prepared to see a few of their party killed at the outset, provided they can make sure of ultimate success and get their plunder at last. No one is ready for his own part to run the risk of his own being the life that must be sacrificed." Mr. Curr, be it rememembered, culls this excerpt from Schweinfurth, and thence marks on his own account:—"In Australia we meet with exactly the same peculiarity, and bushmen know that no number of blacks will attempt to rush a hut defended by one man with a gun in his hand." The last edition of the "Encyclopædia Britannica" refers to the Kaffirs as a "well-marked variety of the negro type." When it is remembered how the Kaffirs fought against us in long past wars, and the Zulus (negro type also) in recent ones, the necessity for receiving Schweinfurth's statement with caution will suggest itself. Where is the similarity between the warlike methods pursued by the men who destroyed a well-organised European force, and shortly afterwards fell by hundreds in their gallant attempt to storm a redoubt at Rorke's Drift, and the wretched creatures dozens of whom make off on the appearance of one armed European? To us it appears that the portion of Mr. Curr's argument which depends on lingual affinities is much more cogent that depending on similarities in manners and customs. The upshot of Mr. Curr's inquiries is that "there seems to be no reason to doubt that the Australian is by descent a negro, with a strong cross in him of some other race; but of what race I have found no evidence to show." Nor does our author rest content with bringing the African to these shores and crossing the breed en route. He discovers the probable place where the landing was effected, and shows the manner in which the aborigines spread themselves over the land. The chapters before us are purely speculative. To some minds they may convey assurance, but to others the Scotch verdict of "not proven" will possibly occur. Still, even if it could be shown that the opinions broached were demonstrably erroneous, the value of the work as a trustworthy description of the Australian aborigines would still remain. In the volumes before us, with their carefully-recorded personal observations, their impartial judgments on the observations of others, and their copious vocabularies, is to be found information which will be welcomed by the philologist, by the ethnologist, and by that ubiquitous person commonly known as the "general reader."

A paragraph has sufficed to point out their apparent blemishes; it would require a space much more considerable to allude, however slightly, to their many merits.

* *The Australian Race; its origin, languages, customs, place of landing in Australia, and the routes by which it spread itself over that continent.* By Edward M. Curr, Author of "Pure Saddle Horses" and "Recollections of Squatting in Victoria." In 4 volumes. Melbourne: John Ferres, Government Printer; London: Trübner and Co., Ludgate Hill. 1886.

THE BISHOP OF WELLINGTON ON EDUCATION.

Speaking recently on the education question at the Wellington Synod, the Bishop of Wellington is reported to have said that the listless indifference on this matter which until lately existed was now passing away, and a strong conviction had taken root in many minds that some effort must be made before long to remedy an evil which, if allowed to continue, might prove very detrimental to the well-being of society. He regretted that the synod had never given a clear unambiguous expression of opinion on the subject. At the last General Synod a debate which took place appeared at one time to raise a hope that it would be dealt with seriously. But a majority of the synod was led away from the proper consideration of the question by a proposal which involved simply this—that a clergyman, when a school committee would agree to it, should endeavour after school hours to gather such children together as he might induce to remain a short time for religious instruction. That was practically an acknowledgment that the present system was satisfactory, and that the synod should have agreed to it was incredible. What ought to be demanded until it was conceded was that distinct religious teaching should be a recognised part of the education given in Public schools. Nothing less than this ought to be required. It was simply ignorance, not only of religion but of human nature, to suppose that a system of instruction which left out of consideration the most potent element influencing man's actions could ever be deemed satisfactory, or could tend to make him a good citizen or a valued member of society. The enormous expense of the system was leading many to look more closely into the subject, and the general feeling, he thought, was that the results were hardly worth the expenditure of something like half a million annually. It would doubtless be very difficult to estimate these results, but after such an expensive system had been tried for eight or nine years it ought to be possible to point to some very definite results which had been obtained by it. But was this possible? It was, he believed, an open question whether there was even a higher percentage now of those who could read and write than there was before the system came into operation. But what ought to be the true test was, Are those who have grown up under the present system in any respect superior to those who were before them? A strong opinion existed that they were not. It was thought by many that a system more in accordance with the religious convictions of the people would call forth voluntary efforts which would greatly relieve the finances of the country. "And now," said the president, concluding his remarks upon this head, "I venture to express my opinion that there already exists throughout the colony a wide-spread conviction—a conviction that is every day gaining ground - that no system of education can be satisfactory that does not supply definite religious teaching, and that such definite teaching can only be given in a country governed as this is by leaving each so-called religious denomination full liberty to teach its own children."

St. James's Gazette says that another railway project has been revived in the Lake District. During the past week engineers have been surveying the route of a line from the neighbourhood of Meathop to Bowness. It is proposed that the railway should traverse the Winster Valley, and it is stated that it could be constructed at comparatively small expense. It would give increased travelling facilities between Yorkshire and the Lake District.

Epps's Cocoa.—Grateful and Comforting.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood, and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.—Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold in ½-lb. packets, by grocers, labelled thus—James Epps and Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London, England.—[Advt.]

A QUINTETTE OF POETS.

A Venetian Lover. By Edward King. Kegan Paul, Trench, and Co., London, 1887.

It is a relief, among the myriad poetical vagaries that appear from month to month, to find something that is worth reading. Long poems are not generally popular in these days, when fiction rules; but Mr. Edward King has written a very charming poem of 157 pages, called a *Venetian Lover*, which helps to restore one's belief in the possibility of something good coming out of the batches of minor poets that publishers push out into an unpoetical world periodically. There is not much in the tale of love. A rich old Californian comes to lodge in the house of a reduced nobleman of Venice, who is a musician, and he brings his lovely daughter with him. She has of course all the graces that a poet could think of, and the nobleman is typical of all that Romeo or Bassanio were. They quite naturally drop into the meshes of love, but the cruel father tragically takes the nobleman aside and informs him that his daughter is already promised to a comrade of his who had saved him from death once and beggary twice. There are the usual difficulties but the aged lover appears on the scene, finds out the girl's secret, and magnanimously gives her up, and, in order to make the thing complete, straight way has heart disease and dies leaving her his money. It is all after the usual fashion of plot; but the art of the writer winds it about with a great deal of poetical glamour and interest. Perhaps he has vested the characters with too much dignity and grace considering the theme, but it is so appropriately done that little fault can be found with that. The lines are musical and chaste, and where he touches pathos it is done with the fine sense of the artist. The songs which are interspersed through the body of the poem are not so good. They lack somewhat of lightness and that lyrical power and lucidity so necessary in songs. There is one, however, that is quaint and stirring. It is the song of an Austrian woman on the eve of a battle. He introduces it thus—and this will give some flavour of his style:—

"'Twas summer time,
And war was near. It was a woman sang—
Tears in her voice. I think I see her now—
White-lipped, protesting 'gainst the sacrilege
Of battle for the statesman's fantasies;
And one dull day in London, when I met
A poet who was hungry for a theme
I gave him this heart-broken woman's wail.
Prisoned in dialect like gold in quartz,
And strung upon a quaint pathetic air,
So he with English touch transformed it thus:
"Oh, Emperor! great Emperor!
Your cruel trumpets cry for war,
Tarantara, tantara, tantara!
The wheat is nodding in the sun,
The harvest work is just begun;
But, mighty Emperor, I hear
A clash of sword, a clink of spear;
Down through the fertile valley comes
An echo from the beat of drums,
And up among the mountains ring
Voices of those who riding sing:
"'Now, Hy lo ho! the trumpets blow!
The horses go in pacing row
Across the bending grasses!
Now, Hy lo ho! the bugles blow!
And what care we for lasses!'"

Mr. King's work is careful, cultivated, and chaste, and deserves to rank well among those lesser lights of song whose circle of readers is limited and fame but transitory.

Edward the Black Prince. By Douglas B. W. Sladen. Griffith, Farran, Okeden, and Welsh, London. 1887.

Mr. Douglas B. W. Sladen as a writer is prolific. This seems indeed his chief quality. He is the author of half-a-dozen books of poems, all of which stand out under his name on the title page of the present one, together with other claims that he has to distinction, such as being an Australian colonist, and a graduate in arts of Oxford and Melbourne, and an LL.B. also. It is a great pity that Mr. Sladen has not given himself up to the practice of law instead of writing poems. It would have been more useful, and certainly the world would not have felt the loss of his verses to any appreciable extent. His past efforts have been spiritless manufactured articles, the only merit of which was that they contained no grammatical errors, and were of decent composition. Nothing is more unbearable than the mediocre in art of any kind. Rhyming is not hard work, and correctness of form can be mastered by any man of average brains. Sympathy and forbearance can be accorded a man who makes one or two excursions into the realms of poetry or literature, and holds up his wares for the public to see and buy if they will; but if the public will not buy, and no end is gained but that of satisfying a certain literary vanity, no wonder can be expressed at the impatience of those who are supposed to be a sort of outlook committee for the reading people of the world. Mr. Sladen's present venture is neither better nor worse than those which have gone before. It is all a dead level of decent bookmaking—nothing more. "Edward the Black Prince," has this merit:—It shows a good deal of historical research, and contains a heap of information which would be valuable in a text-book, but which is rather cumbersome in a poem which runs through 225 pages. There is little dignity in the lines and there is no special inspiration. The dialogue is heavy and the thought turgid. The martial spirit brags through page after page, and the Black Prince himself is an ambitious boaster, whose occasional self-depreciation is the thinnest kind of affectation. The humour is garrulous gusto, and has neither point nor purpose. The epic drama, as it is called, is dedicated to Lord Tennyson in weak verse, which goes like a lame man from a loud beginning to a dull conclusion. These are some of the lines which are after the worth of all that is in the book:—

. . . Did you not love
So jealously our England—then
I had not ventured thus to prove
Your goodwill; but I seek her fame
So staunchly, that I hoped to move
In all, who pride them on the name
Of Englishmen, a kindly tone.
And therefore to your feet I came
Unfaltering—you whom all would own
The Raphael of English verse,
For perfect sense of beauty shown
In task and work; who brought our terse
And homely Anglo-Saxon speech,
Which men were ceasing to rehearse,
Back to our song.
And I beseech
Read gently—for, though ill I tell
My tale, it loves our England well.

Poems, by Edwin Foskett. Regan, Paul, Trench, and Co. London, 1886.

Here is a book of poetry of 306 pages, and one looks in vain from end to end for some line that is worthy of remembrance, or that appeals to any sense of feeling or of beauty. It would be scarcely readable as prose; it is wearying as poetry. There is, among many other things, a Hindoo tragedy, the basis of which is worthy of a strong hand to fashion it, but it is a chaos of puerile passion and of listless movement. There is also a long poem called *Harold Glynde*, a tale of man's weakness, remorse, and triumph over temptation, and after strength; but it is dulness itself in its poetic form. Sonnets, lyrics, and songs, in which is some faint show of music, and a good deal of emotion fill up the volume. Dante Gabriel Rossetti, in a preface to one of his volumes, said that in it there was nothing that was immature. Mr. Foskett might have said that his is as mature as it ever could be—and the maturity does not count for a great deal.

The Poems of Laurence Minot, edited by Joseph Hall, M.A. Oxford: Clarendon Press.

This is a most valuable edition of Minot's poems—valuable to the student of early English. The language of time is preserved in the text, and copious notes are appended, which throw light upon the incidents dealt with in the verse and the references made by the poet. Among the subjects are "Halidon Hill," "The Sack of Southampton," "The Sea Fight at Sluys," and "The Battle of Bannockburn."

(*The Nibelungen Lied*, translated from the German by Alfred G. Foster-Barham.) London: MacMillan and Co., 1887.

This "oldest tradition of modern Europe" that Carlyle over half a century ago declared to be one of the greatest poems left as a legacy to mankind is in this volume put into good and musical verse. The author is not known. No record remains to show what hand wrought the beautiful story of Seigfreid and Chriemhilda, Hagen and Brunhilda, but even to those who cannot read it in the original, the perusal of the translation cannot but produce a reverence for the unknown author. As a picture of the time in which the legend runs—450 A.D.—it cannot be ever estimated, while to the lover of tradition there is in it a mine of adventure and chivalry. It does not appear that the private experiences of people were very different then from what they are now. Take for instance, these lines, which of course have not in them the force or unction of the language in which they were written, but which do their work well never'eless.

"Woman should so be ruled," said the hero bold,
"That from idle gossip, they may themselves withhold;
Take now to task thy lady, as I will mine the same.
In sooth such haughty prating brings me now much shame."

The adventures—thirty-nine in number—are wonderfully interesting, while the strong characters grow from incident to incident into splendid heroic force.

THE DECADENCE OF DISSENT.

The *Saturday Review* publishes the following article on the decadence of dissent:—

We called attention a year or two ago to the statistics of the leading Nonconformist bodies in England, as illustrated by the reports of their annual meetings, which showed in nearly all cases a steady decrease in the number of members and of places of worship. It must be remembered that the question has a practical importance in view of the aggressive tactics of the Liberation Society and its friends, the strength of whose case—*valeat quantum*—depends on the correctness of the allegation they are never tired of repeating as to the relative numbers of Church and Dissent. Since Mr. Horace Mann's so-called religious census of 1851, it has been the fashion with this party to represent the Established Church as comprising at the outside not more than half the population of the country; it is sometimes even suggested not more than a third. But to this misrepresentation, as it clearly is, there is a twofold reply. In the first place, the religious census of 1851, which was conducted not directly and under authority of the Act of Parliament, but by the arbitrary method of counting heads at the two principal services on a specified Sunday, was practically a farce. We are not imputing any dishonest intention to the registrar or, speaking generally, to the Nonconformist ministers concerned, though a good deal was certainly said at the time about the special machinery of various kinds employed to fill their chapels on that particular Sunday. But, without dwelling on that point, it is manifest on the face of it that no reliance can be placed on statistics acquired in this arbitrary and casual manner. And it is not uncharitable to assume that a conviction of the uncertainty of the result, to say the least, has had something to do with the steady and successful resistance offered by the Nonconformist section of the Liberal party to the inclusion of a direct religious enumeration—which could alone be relied upon—in any subsequent census. But it is not only because the returns of the religious census of 1851 are felt to be unreliable that objections are raised by those immediately concerned to the employment of a safer process which might disclose a less favourable result. They can hardly fail to be also aware that, supposing the relative numbers of Church and Dissent had been what they are said to have been at that date, a census taken now would present all the more startling revelation of the change which has since occurred. For a change there assuredly has been, and one which, as we intimated just now, may be proved by statistics the Nonconformists cannot hesitate to accept; *habemus confitentem reum.* It is true, indeed, that there are more than 200 sects in England, with registered places of worship, but most of them are very small. The really important communities with their subdivisions may be counted on the fingers, and it was of these and their decaying condition that we spoke on a former occasion. The evidence then adduced has now been reinforced as regards what, although the most recent, is considerably the largest as well as the most important of these communities, and the facts put on record by its leading authorities, as well as their way of regarding them, are in more ways than one remarkable. There are five divisions of Wesleyanism; but the original body of Wesleyan Methodists includes over double the number of ministers and nearly double the number of members of all the rest put together. There are projects afloat for the reunion of some or of all of these divided sections; but the inherent "dissidence of Dissent;" has hitherto proved an insuperable obstacle, and we were not surprised to find the Wesleyan organ complaining that the recent debate at Manchester on the reconciliation of the "New Connection" with the mother community had an air of unreality about it. The New Connection moreover is the smallest of these separate offshoots.

The debate referred to took place the other day at the annual session of the Wesleyan Conference at Manchester. But it is to another matter brought into prominence on that occasion that we desired to call attention here. The year's returns showed, it is reported, a gross falling off of 86 members. The total numbers according to this year's *Whitaker* are 437,028, and although the actual decrease is a very small one, this is most literally a case where *non progredi est regredi*, for a community of that size without acquiring any fresh recruits ought to make an appreciable annual increase with the increase of the population, instead of which it has diminished. And the diminution becomes still more conspicuous if we turn from the statistics of membership to the ministerial record. *Whitaker* gives the number of ministers a 2206, and on this number there is a gross decrease of 66-30 by death and 36 by retirement—and a net decrease of 37, the additions to the staff being only 29. It is clear, therefore, that there has somehow been a very considerable leakage, and, indeed, the president himself noted and deplored the fac. He and other speakers at the conference appear to have undertaken to account, or partly to account, for it by two circumstances, which they naturally stated in their own way, but both of which are unquestionably pertinent, and in different ways significant. It will be worth while to say a word on each of them. Dr. Osborn himself referred to complaints which are constantly made of the shortcomings of both local preachers and class leaders. Local preachers are, we believe, considered laymen. They form a kind of intermediate grade through which all who wish to become ministers have to pass, though many, or rather a great majority, never advance beyond it. This at least may be inferred from the enumeration of 15,009 local or "lay preachers" as against 2206 ordained ministers. An unfavourable verdict on local preachers reflects therefore indirectly on Wesleyan pulpit ministrations generally. But the strictures on "class leaders" are perhaps still more ominous of danger. The local "classes," consisting properly of about a dozen persons each, formed the most characteristic feature of John Wesley's new organisation. They were his substitute for the Catholic confessional, and were held to provide for the due fulfilment of the Scriptural precept, "Confess your faults one to another," the special object of these weekly class meetings being the mutual confession of sins. That it is apt to degenerate into a mere formality is often asserted and is probable enough; and partly for that and partly for other reasons—one of which may be these alleged shortcomings of class leaders—the classes are said to be widely falling into disuse; at all events, many Wesleyans of the younger generation decline to join a class, and there are no means of compelling them to do so as a *sine quâ non* of membership. Now this silent decay of the class system is a much more serious outlook for the future of Wesleyanism than might at first sight appear. As we said before, it is the most original and distinctive characteristic of the whole organisation, and experience shows that few institutions retain their pristine vigour, if they survive at all, when once they have shed their most distinctive element. Moreover, besides their directly religious purpose, the classes have proved a very powerful instrument for sustaining the active interest and *esprit de corps* of members of the society. What their peculiar dress is, or was, to the Quakers, their class meetings are to the Wesleyans. Nobody doubts that Quakerism is decaying; it is natural to inquire whether the disclosures made at the Manchester conference portend a similar fate to the younger but much larger and more influential community.

The other point dwelt upon in explanation of this alarming leakage was what one minister at the conference termed the "unfair influence" exerted by the Church of England in many places, especially in the rural districts. It is not very plain what opportunities the Church of England has in these days for exerting an unfair influence; what was probably meant, and is certainly true, is that the Church is far more active and efficient than in former days both in towns and villages, and it is notorious that Dissent is always strongest where Church influence is feeblest. Wesleyan propagandism throve on the sleepy inaction of a Church which was currently said to be "dying of dignity." A good deal of the dignity, and almost all the sleepiness, is gone since then; "the dull Pharisee" has found a new energy, and his rivals find themselves distanced in the race. In a parish actively worked they are likely to be nowhere, and hence the report on "Village Methodism" presented to the conference draws a gloomy picture of the condition of the rural chapels, a great proportion of which appear to be in debt, while the ministerial staff, as we have seen, is neither abundant nor altogether satisfactory. A great many ex-ministers indeed are now ordained clergymen of the Church, but of that the report says nothing. The internal causes of Wesleyan decay necessarily apply to that sect alone, but the reawakened powers of their great rival might be expected equally to affect the condition of other Nonconformist sects, and this, as we have already shown, is found to be the case. The Baptist and Independent reports of the year agree with the Wesleyan in reproducing the sorrowful tale of former years about a constant diminution of their resources in men and money. And these are the two next largest sects. With such statistics and confessions before us the annual increase in the number of religious denominations in England, some of them with very queer names—such as, to take a few examples almost at random, Congregation of the Son of the Covenant (established last year), Glazebrook Army, Rational Christains, and Recreative Religionists—may be regarded with equanimity so far as its bearing on the Established Church is concerned. It is evidently not from her ranks that they are mainly recruited. Dissent, taken as a general designation, is preying on its own vitals. It seems to be endowed with a power of almost infinite divisibility, while year by year its total forces are diminishing in an inverse ratio to the multiplication of the separate atoms.

For the last twenty years I have been troubled about as bad as anyone I ever saw with dandruff. My scalp was completely covered with scales, sometimes nearly a quarter of an inch in size. I considered it incurable. About two months since I purchased Cuticura and Cuticura Soap, and in about two weeks after commencing to use them I found the dandruff entirely gone. My scalp is now as free from it and as healthy as it could possibly be. I feel it my duty to both you and the public to state the above facts.—Thomas Lee, sewing machine dealer, No. 2276, Franford-avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.—[Advt.]

OUR MILITARY "TURNOUT."

On the subject of our military turnout, Captain De Burgh writes to us as follows:—

As public attention is just now drawn to military matters, both at home and abroad, a few words from one who having served through three campaigns, and an expedition (so should, at least, be credited with knowing what he is talking about), may be worthy of attention.

First then let me say your military "turnout" last Saturday was, so far as I saw, very creditable to a young and untried country as this is. Especially did I like the look of your country brethren. They had a workmanlike appearance, and apparently only required about a fortnight's sound mounted infantry drill and proper handling to "go anywhere and do anything." Of course regulars, whether cavalry or infantry, are and always will be a very different thing to irregulars, but past experience shows us that under certain conditions the latter may hold their own and something more against the former—vide the Transvaal war. Anyone with the most rudimentary military knowledge is aware that cavalry have little chance against infantry, and as arms of precision and rapid firing are improving daily, so does that chance diminish; whilst infantry, with the mobility of cavalry, have a very great advantage over infantry, pure and simple. Spite of prejudice and old-fashioned ideas, there is little doubt but that mounted infantry will be the great fighting branch of the future; of course, artillery and infantry will also play an important part. But the sword is a thing of the past. If anyone doubts this, let him refer to the "mortality" caused by this weapon in the Franco-Prussian War. The mounted infantryman keeps naturally much fresher and stronger than his dismounted brother in arms; for, putting aside his riding in lieu of marching, he carries no kit, nor has he the weight of his rifle; this he carries in a bucket with his arm through the sling, it is in no way fastened, always ready to his hand; and, in fact, he cannot dismount without seizing it. This bucket is the invention of Colonel Carrington, C.M.G., 24th Regiment (South Wales Borderers), and, simple as it is, it took years to think out. All sorts were invented and tried, but the difficulty was to find one that fulfilled all the requisite conditions, viz.:—Was no weight to the man when mounted; was always ready to his hand at a moment's notice; was in a position to guard its sights, &c., from all ordinary risks of damage through a rough country; was in no way fastened; and so hung that the man could not dismount or mount without having it in his hand. All these conditions were at last fulfilled by the "Carrington Bucket," which was successfully proved in the recent Bechuanaland Expedition by the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Regiments of Mounted Rifles. It will be henceforth adopted by all troops of mounted infantry. The three essential points for a mounted infantry recruit are—1. That he should be a man of ordinary intelligence. 2. That he should be a fair shot. 3. That he should be able to ride fairly well. Given these, a fortnight's mounted infantry drill, under a competent instructor, should render him fit to take the field and render a good account of foes three times his number. How many men have you in this country that fulfill these essentials? Thousands? Aye, tens of thousands! But if these men think they can be made efficient cavalry—whether lancers, dragoons, or hussars—they must have very little idea of the thousand and one details required to complete the education of a thoroughly trained cavalry soldier. It requires three years' constant work; and most cavalry officers will tell you in the case of lancers even more. This is out of the question with men who can only give a few days and hours in the twelve months to it; but there is no reason why they should not become thoroughly practical fighting men as mounted infantry, and this I take it is what the men I saw last Saturday, and their brothers-in-arms, who for divers reasons were unable to put in an appearance that day, want to be. Not to play at soldiers, but to be in all efficiency the real thing. Most of the uniforms had a good workmanlike wear-and-tear look that would stand the rough work of active service, but were all wrong as to colour. Here, again, comes the difference between the regular and the irregular. For the former, he is wanted for many "state," that is "show" occasions. You cannot dress him too smartly—the smarter the dress, the smarter the man. He cannot "fancy" himself too much. He should be thoroughly imbued with the idea that there is only one country in the world, his country; only one army, his army; only one regiment in that army, his regiment; only one troop or company in that regiment, his troop or company; and only one man in that troop or company, and that's himself. Such a man fancies himself too much to be caught napping in his drill, or be slovenly in appearance. This is all right, and, where expense is little or no object, does very well. He has one kit for peace, another for war, but for irregulars or volunteers it is a different matter; neither his country nor himself can afford it. In many cases he supplies himself, and wants a neat, durable, and at the same time smart fighting kit; one that he can take the field in, and come back after months of hard work, looking little the worse in. I must, however, not trespass too far upon your space with details. Mounted infantry are of comparatively recent growth. They first, I believe, sprang into existence in the Zulu war, since which they have taken a prominent part in all our campaigns, whether imperial or colonial. In conclusion I will say that you cannot sufficiently impress upon the mounted infantry man that he is not a cavalry man. For all fighting purposes he is an infantry man, his being mounted only being to give him the mobility of cavalry and for vedetting purposes; also to save him as much as possible on the line of march. As a rule cavalry officers are not good mounted infantry commanders.

INDUSTRIAL ECONOMY AND TRADE DEPRESSION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Having in my younger days been trained to the use of arms, and being an adept in the use of the small sword, the clash of steel comes always welcome to my ears, and having for several years endeavoured to cross swords with Messrs. Wise, Pulsford, and Reid, but being considered merely a Maitland yokel, was beneath their notice.

"Would'st thou boldly write thy name,
On the page of history?
Would'st thou know the way to fame,
All unveiled of mystery?"

Know! Secretary Pulsford answers thee. But on this occasion, on being confronted with such a renowned (in certain circles) opponent, I feel it to be almost cowardly to take advantage of one who shows himself so inexpert in the art of thrust and parry, but the exigencies of warfare compel me to drive the blade up to the hilt. I was unaware that the Hon. D. A. Wells was the president of the American Free Trade League, but accepting Mr. Pulsford's assertion, I consider the Americans have another opportunity of crowing over us, by stating that they have better free-trade writers than there are in some countries they could mention. To a deep thinker, not a sentence in the *Contemporary Review* article can be twisted in favour of free trade with foreign countries. The whole tenor of it is to the effect that England has lost control of the markets of the world, which position only has enabled her to maintain the fiscal policy of partial free trade, now irrevocably doomed to give way in Great Britain to protection, or fair trade, whichever name you like to call it, in a very short time. I am glad that Mr. Pulsford thought it necessary to reply, as for the future neither Sir Henry Parkes nor Mr. G. H. Reid will have the opportunity to refer to the relative positions of British and American shipping on the score of ignorance, especially as Mr. Pulsford has tacitly given approval to Mr. Wells's remarks by his silence.

When I read the review article the notes I took were for my private reference, as I had no intention at the time of giving the matter publicity, and not being able to get hold of the book again when I wanted to refer to it must account for the trifling differences in the figures, which difference strengthens rather than weakens the position, and demonstrates the puerile character of Mr. Pulsford's objections. I again embrace the opportunity of referring to the sale of all our wool in Australia, and challenge Mr. Pulsford or his party to show one single instance where they have endeavoured to benefit Australian producers and handlers of our raw produce. It was Sir Henry Parkes's Ministry who proposed to put an export tax of 2d. per pound on washed wool, which meant giving a premium to foreign labour to wash our wool. Not pretending to be a wool expert, I may be pardoned if my thoughts are crude on this subject; but, supposing that all our wool was washed in the colony, it would add considerably to the wages fund and purchasing power of the labouring classes of the colony. I believe the complaint of European manufacturers against our washed wool is that the system pursued destroys its elasticity; but I fail to perceive why the necessary skill and scientific methods pursued in other countries cannot be adopted here. Forty per cent. of dirt and grease in wool is within the mark, and I see no economy in paying freight on what would be to us a valuable manure. The fatty refuse in France is turned to account in making soaps, where also are extracted from it lanoline and potash. The annual value of potash in the wool exported from Australia is half-a-million sterling.

I am, &c.,
JOHN S. SKEET.

October 6, 1887.

THE HORSE-CHESTNUT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—During the formation of the numerous parks that are beginning to beautify our city and suburbs, it has often surprised me that the horse-chestnut should not be amongst the trees planted. I have been from England 26 years, and have never seen it once in Australia.

I am not enough of a naturalist to know what conditions of soil or climate may be necessary for its growth, but when I see the oak and other English trees flourishing so well here, I should think the introduction of the tree is question not an impossibility.

I can remember avenues of these trees in different parts of England that were visited by many just for a sight of their splendid blossoms, and to my mind a horse-chestnut tree in full bloom is indeed a "thing of beauty."

Apologising for trespassing on your valuable space with this suggestion,

I am, &c., A LOVER OF TREES.

Sudden changes of weather, any emergency, influenza, feverish colds, drawing an overdraft on the bank of life, late hours, fagged, unnatural excitement, breathing impure air, too rich food, alcoholic drink, gouty, rheumatic, and other blood poisons, biliousness, sick headache, skin eruptions, pimples on the face, want of appetite, sourness of stomach, &c., use Eno's Fruit Salt. It is pleasant, cooling, health-giving, refreshing, and invigorating. You cannot overstate its great value in keeping the blood pure and free from disease.

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THE BUKKULLA TRAGEDY.

TRIAL OF WADHAM WYNDHAM.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR TRAVELLING REPORTER.)

ARMIDALE, FRIDAY.

The trial of Wadham Wyndham for the murder of his wife, Sarah Wyndham, at Bukkulla, took place at Armidale to-day, before Mr. Justice Stephen. Mr. Harris prosecuted for the Crown, and Mr. O'Connor, of Sydney, appeared for the defence.

The court was crowded to its fullest extent, and an intense interest appeared to be taken in the case. Mr. Hugh Wyndham, the brother of the prisoner, took a seat on the Bench; but upon Mr. O'Connor speaking to him, he retired from that position. Three other brothers also were present.

The prisoner, on entering the court, seemed to be in a very dejected condition, and taking his former appearance into consideration could scarcely be recognised. There were no traces of grief or remorse on his face, but he spoke in a laboured manner, otherwise he did not appear to realise his position. When questioned as to what and how he pleaded, he asked if the indictment could be altered. The judge replied that it could not. The prisoner then said that if legal technicalities would permit, he wished to acknowledge the act of taking the lives of his dear children and wife, not with felonious intent, an' not with premeditation or forethought. It was with no murderous feelings that he took their lives, but rather those of sacrifice, as his Honor would see by the depositions at the inquest.

Mr. O'Connor remarked that under the circumstances his Honor could accept the prisoner's statement as a plea of not guilty, as it really amounted to that.

The Judge and Crown Prosecutor then decided that a plea of not guilty should be entered.

Mr. Harris, the Crown Prosecuter, then opened the case, and referred in detail to the terrible circumstances of the deaths of Mrs. Wyndham and her three children. He also referred to the strange behaviour of Mr. Wyndham at the time of the incident, his quoting the Scriptures and his vociferations that he was a king and a conqueror. These, he thought, would be urged in support of the plea that the prisoner was insane. He would ask the jury, however, to consider the evidence apart from previous reports of the case, and decide carefully whether such a plea could be supported by it.

The first witness was Sergeant Travers, of Inverell, who arrested the prisoner, and produced in court the depositions of the dying boy Norman, who had related in the presence of the sergeant and Dr. Vallee that he had seen his father striking his mother on the head.

The next witness was Catherine Rich, who was a domestic servant with the family at the time of the murders. She said that on the evening in question she saw the prisoner and his family in the drawing-room, at which time the prisoner was reading what appeared to be the Bible; she afterwards heard the lad Norman crying out that his mother was being killed, and also heard noises as if something was being dashed against the wall; she was in Asimus's hut and the boy ran there crying, and she put him to bed; afterwards the prisoner proceeded to the place and demanded his child; Asimus went to the door and spoke to him, and then returned to the bedroom and brought the child out, and handed him to his father; as the two went away she heard the child say, "Oh, daddy, don't kill me;" the prisoner returned to the hut and exclaimed, "John Asimus, John Suttor, Mrs. Asimus, and Kate Rich, come forth; this is the Day of Judgment; I have pierced Norman, my first-born, through the side, hands, and feet, like Christ; I will fetch him and show him to you, and he will listen while I talk to you:" the prisoner went away, but returned once more, and again called upon them to come out; they did not answer him; Suttor went to the hut after the boy had been given up by Asimus; Asimus and Suttor went to the door the second time; prisoner commenced shouting and cooeying, and said that he had killed his beloved wife, his Adele, his boy Clifford, and his first-born Norman; he then proceeded to the house of a neighbour named Graham to tell him what he had done.

In reply to Mr. O'Connor, the witness stated that she had lived 15 months with the Wyndham family; during that period Mr. Wyndham appeared extremely fond of his wife and children, and played with the latter very frequently.

At this point the witness broke down completely. The prisoner also burst into tears, and the proceedings of the Court were temporarily suspended.

Upon the cross-examination being resumed, Miss Rich said that when the prisoner was reading the Bible, Mrs. Wyndham was sewing; when prisoner went to the hut he did not talk very loudly.

John Asimus, who the Crown Prosecutor, in his opening address to the jury, said was scarcely worthy the name of a man, was the next witness called. He remembered the boy going to his place and putting him to bed there; soon afterwards the prisoner came along, and asked if his son Norman was there; witness called to the boy that his father wanted him; the boy came out to the door, and witness led him across the verandah to his father; he did not ask the father any questions, and that was all that passed between them; the prisoner was dressed in a white gown, but it was too dark to decide whether this was a nightshirt or a surplice; as the pair left the hut the boy cried to his father not to hurt him, and was crying on the way back to the house; by something in Mr. Wyndham's voice at this time witness thought all was not right, but he did not go to the boy when he heard him crying.

In answer to his Honor Asimus said he did not remember the child saying "Oh, daddy, do not kill me." Prisoner returned to the hut, and then informed the inmates that the day of Resurrection had arrived. Witness asked him if he was unwell, and the prisoner replied that he was as well as the witness was himself. Prisoner continued asking them to go out, but witness declined to leave the house. Witness heard the boy Norman crying at the house, and prisoner then said he would fetch him up and preach to him. Afterwards witness went out to Wyndham, who desired him, however, not to touch him as he was not like one of themselves but a spirit. Witness further described additional religious ravings on the part of the prisoner, who ejaculated, "Did not Abraham offer his first-born and were not the first-born of Egypt slain?" or words to that effect. He also stated that prisoner described to him how he had murdered his wife and children.

In answer to Mr. O'Connor witness said he thought the children went to him for protection, and that the boy told him he could not make his father out, but witness had no idea at first of what had taken place; Catherine Rich did not tell him that Mr. Wyndham was killing Mrs. Wyndham; the boy appeared to be very frightened when he gave him up to his father; he could not see whether the father had any weapon in his hands.

The Judge here expressed great surprise that the witness had not the brains or courage to do something to save the child. The witness replied that in the condition he was in at the time he did not know what to do.

Richard Graham, who was next called, said that he had been 32 years in the employ of Mr. Hugh Wyndham, the brother of prisoner. This witness deposed to finding the dead bodies of Mrs. Wyndham, the child Adele, and the boy Clifford. He found the boy Norman alive, and carried him to Asimus's hut. Prisoner said to him, "You cannot understand it," and continued hoorraying and talking about the Resurrection having arrived, and he added that he had done something grand. Witness, the prisoner, and some other persons left the station for Inverell, and on the road prisoner hoorayed several times, and said he would preach from the top of the courthouse.

Hugh Wyndham, the brother of the prisoner, said that about 2 o'clock on the morning in question he proceeded to his brother's vineyard; on the way he met his brother, who was talking and shouting in a most excited manner; the prisoner said he had killed his wife and children, and that he himself had been dead and was alive again; his brother also raved in other ways; witness returned to the vineyard and saw the dead bodies of Mrs. Wyndham and her daughter Adele, in their night-dresses, under a rug; it was a horrible sight; his brother did not give him any explanation why he had done the deed, but said that formerly he could not talk, but could do so now; all his converse had more or less to do with religion; he appeared mad, and witness asked him to keep quiet, which he did; he had him watched by men there for fear he should take a knife; his brother breathed on the bodies of his wife and daughter; he had been a most affectionate husband and father; that was known to all in the neighbourhood; Mrs. Wyndham was enceinte, and on such occasions suffered acutely, and on this ground her husband appeared to be in a great state of apprehension in the present instance.

Sergeant Travers was recalled, and detailed the circumstances of meeting the prisoner and his friends coming into Inverell, to his arresting him, and also to their returning to the vineyard together and examining the dead bodies. Travers also produced in Court a number of knives and a number of forks, and a heavy stone, which were blood-stained, and supposed to have been used by Wyndham for effecting his purpose; he further explained that after the inquest prisoner, who then appeared calm and collected, said to him that when he had got half through his evidence he realised what a crime he had committed, and he also related the horrible confessions of Wyndham as to the manner in which he had killed and mutilated his victims, particulars of which have already been published.

Dr. Vallee, of Inverell, was also examined, and described the nature of the wounds on the dead bodies.

Being cross-examined by Mr. O'Connor, the witness expressed his opinion that when the crime was committed the prisoner had no knowledge of what was right and what was wrong. It was, he added, very often the case that a man was suddenly afflicted with insanity in this way. He could say, from a long experience of the family, that Mr. Wyndham was usually of a most affectionate disposition.

Dr. Wigan, of Armidale, medical superintendent of the local gaol, said that since the prisoner had been under his supervision he had no reason to suppose that he was anything else than sane, he had held several conversations with Wyndham, and had asked him why he had committed the deed; Wyndham replied that he had laboured under a delusion that he had to do it for a sacrifice, and that he knew when he was doing it that he would have to suffer death for it; at the present moment the prisoner was quite sane.

In answer to Mr. O'Connor, the witness admitted that it was quite possible that prisoner was insane when the murders were committed, and that such persons might be insane on one subject, but perfectly sane on all others.

In reply to his Honor the witness said that such attacks were frequent, and sometimes were unattended with premonitory symptoms; yet strangely enough recovery was as sudden as the attack.

This concluded the evidence for the Crown, and Mr. Harris explained that he did not wish to further press the case against the unfortunate prisoner.

Mr. O'Connor then, without calling any evidence for the defence, briefly addressed the jury on behalf of his client. His contention was, of course, that the prisoner was insane at the time of the murder, and could not be held responsible for his act. He contrasted the happy scenes of the Wyndham family circle with the fiendish incidents of the night of the murder, and the customary affection of the father and husband with the excited joy of the murderer, and he contended that the jury could arrive at no other conclusion than that the unfortunate prisoner was affected with a sudden and irresistible attack of insanity.

His HONOR next summed up, and having explained the law relating to murder, referred to the incidents of the case. The burden of proving insanity, he said, lay distinctly upon the prisoner. If the jury acquitted him they could only do so on the ground of insanity, and it would be then his duty to commit him to custody until Her Majesty's pleasure was known. If the recurrence of such a delusion were probable, it would, of course, be unsafe to society for such an individual to be at large. The jury therefore would have to determine whether prisoner was capable at the time of distinguishing between right and wrong, or was under the influence of any delusion in respect of his victims, which rendered his mind insensible of the nature of the act he was about to commit. There was nothing to show that previously prisoner had been afflicted with insanity but they had heard details of atrocities now, which to his mind were without parallel, and he thought that all reasonable minds must admit that they were perpetrated only by a person of unsound mind. These, indeed, and the subsequent excited behaviour of the prisoner were, he thought, a good justification for the plea which had been set up.

The jury, after a retirement of half an hour, returned a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity. The Judge then ordered prisoner to be detained in Armidale gaol until the Governor's pleasure was known with regard to him.

A large crowd gathered round the Courthouse to witness the departure of Wyndham for the gaol, but there was no display of feeling towards him, and the verdict has been exactly what the general community in the district anticipated.

There is great regret expressed for the the death of Mrs. Wyndham and the children, and considerable irritation, which it will be seen is shared by the Crown Prosecutor and his Honor, exists in consequence of the boy Norman having been apparently without the exercise of common sense given up to his excited father.

The gaoler here confirms Dr. Wigan's statement as to Wyndham's bearing in gaol, and says that his demeanour during his incarceration has been calm and gentlemanly.

PROPOSED CHANGES IN PENAL ADMINISTRATION.

The following report of the Comptroller-General of Prisons, upon proposed changes in the penal administration of the colony, was laid upon the table in the Legislative Assembly yesterday by the Minister for Justice:—

"The Comptroller-General of Prisons to the Acting Under-Secretary of Justice.—In response to the accompanying minute of the Minister of Justice, I have to report the coming changes in the immediate future, which may be taken to commence with the new year, in the penal administration of the colony. The means for carrying these changes into effect will be afforded by the occupation of the new central western prison at Bathurst, the occupation of Biloela for the broken-down class of metropolitan vagrants, the completion of additional cells in Parramatta gaol, and the completion of the huts, now in course of erection, for the reception of the license-holders to be employed on the breakwater works at Trial Bay, in terms of the regulations of 17th December, 1886, estimated to number 100. The extension of cell room that will become available by this additional accommodation towards the long-aimed-at object of dissociation of criminals will be 642 separate cells, and this will enable the department to overcome the evils of association, which has hitherto so materially frustrated the working of the system, to an extent embracing those classes of offenders for the comparative isolation of whose treatment such isolation is most needed, both to a penal and reformatory end. It may be observed that the general association which has hitherto of necessity prevailed has been the chief cause of, at the same time, diminishing the deterrent effects of imprisonment by relegating offenders from the association with an outside community to that of a community within the prisons, constituting a prison society, and thus propagating corrupting influences. The mode of the intended occupation of Biloela (in large dormitories) I desire to place on record is not to be defended, save in the exigency existing from the absence of a metropolitan penitentiary, and should only be regarded as temporary, pending the construction of such a prison, the necessity for which in the early future should not be lost sight of. But as the class to be imprisoned there will be restricted to the habitual vagrants and petty offenders, for whom improvement and suppression are alike impossible, the evil will be more seeming than real. In my annual report I made mention of the great advantage that would arise by means of relieving the pressure upon Darlinghurst Gaol by the 170 persons proposed to placed be upon Biloela, and thus clearing the way for a course of separate treatment of young offenders between the ages of 16 and 25, to which I would look for the most material arrest of crime that can be devised, such arrest in early stages being of far greater value and effect than any mode of treatment for more confirmed criminals. I think it well to embody an extract from my annual report descriptive of the treatment above mentioned:—'The treatment referred to, and for the introduction of which I will submit regulations for approval, will consist of separate treatment throughout all sentences of prisoners between the ages of 16 and 25, under sentences up to six months. They will be worked and fed in their cells, have no communication with other prisoners or among themselves, and will have as low a diet as is consistent with health, with due provision for exercise. Such a system I recently saw in work in Victoria, where it has been partly established. I am informed by the Inspector-General of Penal Establishments there, that out of 200 who have been so treated only 10 have returned. If it should have equal success in this colony, it cannot fail to be of equal benefit to the younger offenders and to the State. It may be found to be practicable to extend the system in a modified form to young female offenders. Under it the evil effects of prison association at an early stage of crime will be arrested. The treatment will chiefly be carried out on young metropolitan offenders, and in Darlinghurst, wherein I can see my way to the necessary arrangements. The employment of license-holders at Trial Bay under a modified form of restriction is in some degree experimental, and is the largest departure in that direction that I have heard of anywhere; but I have every hope that that with good management the project may be attended with success, and prove a very desirable mode of amelioration of long sentences.

"HAROLD MACLEAN, Comptroller-General of Prisons.

"September 13, 1887."

STREET NOISE NUISANCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—A letter appears in your issue of to-day headed as above, and signed "Thomas Moore." I ask space to correct a serious mistake made by him. He states that the whole noise is caused by the companies using American axles on the omnibuses, and if Mail Patent axles were used the noise would be stopped, or the use of leather washers would cure the complaint. The Sydney Omnibus Company is the only one in Sydney; Mr. Moore certainly means it. That being so, I wish to state that we have not a single American axle fixed to any 'bus belonging to the company — because of the noise made by them. The American axle-boxes are three-eighths of an inch shorter than the axle-arm; to allow plenty of play, &c., they make an intolerable noise in running. In Bathurst some years ago, a squatter told me they were liked because one could hear a buggy long before it came in sight. Mr. Hoyt was the first to introduce the American coaches, and, being in opposition to us, were always heard though not seen by our drivers, and warned them to quicken their pace. Mr. Hoyt tried to stop the noise by Mr. Moore's plan of putting leather washers on, until by doing this made them lose a nut in backing the coach and the wheel came off, so the washers were given up. I at once had an axle made to fit the boxes as close as possible, and a pin screwed through the nut, the wheel would not turn round. There is no more noise made with our axles than with the Mail Patent after twelve months' wear, as can be proved by coaches now using the Mail Patent axles. The cause of the noise is in the blocks. Mr. Moore says before the American style of omnibuses was used no noise was made. Twenty years ago the noise was greater than now. It was then a constant cause of complaint. In 1870 a medal was awarded me for turning out the most perfect omnibus, and one that made no noise; but we had no wooden blocks then. The coaches were are now building make scarcely any noise on the roughest roads, but the moment they come to the blocks the noise commences, even the granite crossings are not so bad. Our windows are fixed with rubber; in fact, everything is done by us to stop the noise. I proved the other day by taking out all the windows that the same rumbling sound took place on the blocks. I have made the manufacture of omnibuses my study for nearly 25 years in Sydney, and I do assert that no omnibus can be built not to make a noise on the wooden blocks. Does anything like all the vehicular noise made in our streets proceed from the omnibus. I think the officers of the M. T. C. could tell Mr. Moore a different tale. I could pick out several vehicles which make far more noise than even the worst of the omnibuses. I am, &c.,

H. VICKERS,

Glebe, Oct. 5. Manager of Omnibus Building Works.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7.

In Equity.—(Before his Honor the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

BLAIR V. BLAIR.

Mr. Tarleton, instructed by Mr. Coonan, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Gregory Walker, instructed by Messrs. Abbott and Dodds, for the defendant. The plaintiff in the suit sought that the defendant might be decreed to specifically perform an agreement in relation to a division of certain property. It appeared from the plaintiff's case that the late James Blair, by his will, devised his real and personal estate to trustees upon trust to pay the proceeds thereof to his wife for life, and after her death to convey the same in equal shares to his two sons, James and Francis, and their heirs in tail, the division to be made by consent of the sons. The testator appointed as executors and trustees of his will his two sons, who were the plaintiff and defendant respectively in this suit. On the death of the testator's wife certain correspondence took place between the parties as to the division of the estate, and it was ultimately agreed, in letters of the 2nd and 5th August, that the defendant should take as his share the properties known as "Miller's and "Manby's" grants and "Napoleon Cottage," and that the plaintiff should take as his share the rest of the property. The defendant, who had issue, subsequently sought to avoid carrying out this agreement, and informed the plaintiff, who has no issue, that, in view of the special nature of the will, creating, as it did, entailed estates, he would rather have the division settled by the Court. The defendant, by his answer, alleged that the agreement was only intended by the parties to relate to realty, and was not intended to include the personalty, and was never intended to include a certain fund lying in the bank.

His HONOR said he was of opinion that the plaintiff was entitled to the specific performance he asked for in the two letters of the 2nd and 5th August. The will of the testator was not very artistically drawn, but it was clear that he did not die intestate as to any portion of his property. The words "real and personal estate" governed the whole of the will, and explained the subsequent correspondence. The letters contained within themselves a distinct contract as between the parties for the division of the whole of the testator's property, both real and personal, and defendant agreed to take the particular portions of the property which were mentioned in the letters of the 2nd and 5th August, and that plaintiff was entitled to the personalty and realty other than the Manby and Miller's grants and Napoleon Cottage. He would therefore make a decree in the terms of the first clause of the prayer of the petition for specific performance of the agreement contained in the two letters to which he had referred, such decree to carry costs to the plaintiff as against the defendant. Order accordingly.

In Divorce.—(Before his Honor the CHIEF JUSTICE.)

LOCKHEAD V. LOCKHEAD.

Mr. Mann appeared on behalf of Mary Ann Lockhead (the respondent) and asked for an order for alimony *pendente lite*, and for a further order that petitioner should pay costs into court. Mr. Davis appeared to oppose the application.

His HONOR dismissed the application, as the respondent had furnished nothing in her affidavits upon which the Court could act.

WATKIN V. WATKIN.

On the motion of Dr. Coghlan the issues in the above suit were settled as marriage and adultery, and the trial was set down for next sittings.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—FRIDAY.

(Before the REGISTRAR.)

FIRST MEETINGS.

In the respective matters of George Henry Everingham and Edward Thomas Whitehouse. No debts were proved in either estate, and the meetings terminated.

SECOND MEETINGS.

In re Richard Kelly. Insolvent attended, and was examined by Mr. H. H. Bradley, attorney for the petitioning creditor. No debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re Arthur Thomas Gale and Herbert John Gale. Insolvents attended, and did not desire to amend their joint schedule. Five debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re Daniel Farrell. Insolvent did not appear, four debts were proved, and the meeting was adjourned at the request of the official assignee to the 21st October.

THIRD MEETINGS.

In re William Shand Findly and Richard B. Baynes. No debts were proved, and one was entered as a claim. The official assignee filed his report, and the meeting was adjourned to the 12th October.

In re William Bleakley. Four debts were proved, and the official assignee filed his report. No directions were given, and the meeting terminated.

In re Archibald Henderson. One debt was proved, and the report of the official assignee was filed. No directions were given, and the meeting terminated.

In re John M'Queeny. Three debts were proved, but no directions were given, and the official assignee having filed his report, the meeting terminated.

In re Ernest Edward Styles and Walter Shead. No debts were proved in either estate, and no directions were given. The meetings then terminated.

In re Roger Blomley Watson. No debts were proved, and written directions were given that insolvent be allowed his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting then terminated.

In re Francis Jones and Eli Crossley. No debts were proved in the first-named estate, and two in the second. No directions were given, and the meetings terminated.

SINGLE MEETINGS.

In re Joseph Endor Pombart. Insolvent was present, and amended part D of his schedule, and also his statement under rule 20. Insolvent was examined by Mr. R. M'Coy, attorney for the proved creditor, and written directions were given to allow insolvent his furniture and wearing apparel. Four debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re Robert Murray. Insolvent was present, and did not desire to amend his schedule or statement under rule 20. He was briefly examined by the official assignee. Four debts were proved, no directions were given, and the meeting closed.

In re Edmund Moriceau. Insolvent was present, and did not desire to amend his schedule. No debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re John Devir. Insolvent did not appear, no debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re George Wheeler. Insolvent was present, and amended part D of his schedule. One debt was proved, and written directions were given to allow the insolvent his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting then terminated.

In re Joseph Poole Goodwin. Insolvent was present, and did not desire to amend his schedule or statement under rule 20. Four debts were proved, and written directions were given that insolvent be allowed his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting then terminated.

In re Frederick Davies. Insolvent attended and did not desire to amend his schedule. Two debts were proved, and directions were given to allow insolvent his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting then terminated.

SPECIAL MEETINGS.

In the several matters of William George Collings, George Alford, and Alexander M'Rae, Chum Chow, and Way Shoung, and Sydney Alexander Smith. One debt was proved in the first, second, and third estates named, and three in the fourth. The meetings then terminated.

SURRENDERS.

William James Christie, of Crookwell, commission agent. Liabilities, £60 5s. 6d.; assets, £2. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

George Frederick Rowland, of Quirindi, late of Wybong, near Muswellbrook, labourer. Liabilities, £112 15s. 11d.; assets, £66. Mr. Augustus Morris, official assignee.

William Martin Squires, of Newcastle, bootmaker. Liabilities, £74 17s. 3d.; assets, £2 5s. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

Samuel Charles Parker, of Denison-street, Waverley, contractor. Liabilities, £169 7s. 10½d.; assets, £5. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

Frederick Rankin, of Brownville, near Wollongong, at present a confinee in Wollongong Gaol, contractor. Liabilities, £123 14s. 8d.; assets, £10. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

John Alexander Cavanagh, of 2, Argyle-terrace, St. John's-road, Glebe, clerk. Liabilities, £21 3s. 9d.; assets, £1. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—FRIDAY.

(Before Mr. District Court Judge DOWLING.)

ROBINSON V. GOIRIE AND ANOTHER.

This case was brought by William Robinson against George C. Goirie and John David Pickering for the recovery of £35 on a dishonoured promissory notes. The claim, in so far as it related to J. D. Pickering, was abandoned. His Honor gave judgment for the plaintiff against the defendant Goirie for the amount claimed.

NOBLE V. FLANAGAN.

This was an action brought by James H. R. Noble, of Elizabeth-street, against John Flanagan, of Marian-street, Enmore, for the recovery of £25 commission on the sale of the Queen's Hotel, Enmore. Dr. R. M. Sly, instructed by Mr. G. J. Sly, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. G. H. Reid, instructed by Mr. Gannon, for the defendant. It seemed that Noble was employed to sell the hotel, and he was instrumental in introducing as a purchaser Mr. Whelan, but the negotiations were not completed. Subsequently Mr. Whelan purchased from Messrs. Tooth and Co., the holders of a bill of sale over the hotel, and the defendant received a portion of the purchase money. The defence was that the sale was not effected by the plaintiff, but by means of another broker. The plaintiff now agreed to reduce his commission to £12 10s., and his Honor gave a verdict in his favour for that amount.

JACKSON V. FULL.

Andrew Jackson, of Botany, mariner, sued George Full, of the Pier Hotel, Botany, for the recovery of £200 damages for slander. Mr. S. J. Bull appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. G. H. Reid, instructed by Mr. Gannon, for the defendant. The defendant was an hotel-keeper, and the plaintiff had been in the habit of visiting the hotel. On Easter Monday of 1886 Jackson, it was alleged, broke a window of the hotel, and thereafter never visited the place. The defendant saw him passing the hotel on May 31st last, and reminded him that he had never paid for the damage he had done. Some days later Jackson was in his ketch, which was moored off Botany Wharf. Full, with some friends, was on the wharf. It was alleged that the defendant vociferated to plaintiff an inquiry as to when he intended to pay the 14s. for breaking the window, applied very coarse epithets to him, and accused him of stealing an umbrella. The defendant, whilst admitting that he made the inquiry as to when the plaintiff intended to come and pay the 14s., denied having used the coarse epithets or the accusation of dishonesty attributed to him. His Honor gave a verdict for the plaintiff for £10 10s. and costs.

VICTORIA MINING COMPANY V. O'CONNOR.

This was an action brought by the Victoria Silver Mining Company, Limited, against Daniel O'Connor, M.L.A., for the recovery of £28 12s. 8d. with respect to calls due on 1200 shares in the plaintiff company. Mr. Paterson, from the office of Messrs. Fisher, Ralfe, and Salwey, appeared on behalf of the plaintiff company. There was no appearance on behalf of the defendant. The case was heard *ex parte*, and judgment was given for the plaintiff company for the amount claimed.

O'CONNOR V. ALCOCK.

Claim £12, brought by Timothy O'Connor against J. J. Alcock for 20 cowhides. Mr. Nash, instructed by Mr. Edgar Lucas, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Field, instructed by Mr. Ashdown, for the defendant, who paid into court £6. The defence was, that the hides in question were not cowhides but the hides of yearlings, and of but half the value of cowhides. The case stands as part heard.

METROPOLITAN QUARTER SESSIONS.

FRIDAY.

(Before His Honor Mr. District Court Judge MURRAY.)

Mr. Merewether appeared on behalf of the Crown.

EMBEZZLEMENT.

John Francis Conlin was arraigned upon an indictment charging him with having, on the 23rd May, 1887, at Yanko, being then employed in the public service as clerk and servant to the Commissioner for Railways, embezzled the sum of £19 3s. 10d., entrusted to him, and having fraudulently appropriated and disposed of the same.

Mr. Buchanan, instructed by Mr. Roberts, appeared for the defence.

The evidence adduced on behalf of the Crown showed that the prisoner had been employed in the railway department as stationmaster at Yanko. In February last the Hon. John Douglas, owner of a grazing station at Yanko, ordered a woolpress from Victoria, and the press, which was in 15 pieces, weighing 1 ton 18cwt., was charged at the rate of £4 15s. 7d. per ton. It was delivered in May, and on the 23rd of the same month the manager of the station received a bill from the accused showing an amount of £29 6s due on the woolpress and also as carriage, together with several small items. Of this sum £10 2s. 2d. was charged as freight for Victorian carriage to Albury, the balance—£19 3s. 10d.—which the prisoner was charged with having embezzled, being the amount charged for freight from Albury to Yanko; a cheque for £31 5s. 3d., drawn on the National Bank of Australasia, Melbourne, was sent to the accused by the manager of the station; the cheque was cashed at Narrandera; the accused remained in the service for about five weeks after the transaction, and then went for a holiday, but failed to account for the amount which he was charged with having embezzled. The accused was arrested by Detective Keating, and in reply to the charge stated that the money said to be short was at the station. The receipt book showed no entry of the money having been received.

Mr. Buchanan addressed the jury on behalf of the accused, and his Honor having summed up, the jury retired to consider their verdict, and after a brief deliberation found the prisoner guilty.

The prisoner was remanded for sentence.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCES.

William Arthur Richards was arraigned upon an indictment charging him with having, on the 12th August, 1887, at Sydney, obtained the sum of £2 1s. 6d. from Harriet Law by means of a valueless cheque, drawn in the name of Richards, upon the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Exchange-corner.

Mr. Murdoch appeared on behalf of the prisoner.

The evidence showed that the prisoner had some transactions with the complainant's husband regarding the sale of some property, and on the date in question called at her hotel, and after having called for three drinks tendered a cheque for £2 5s. in payment; the cheque was taken, but on being subsequently presented at the bank it was dishonoured. For the defence it was contended that the prisoner asked the complainant to hold the cheque over for a few days, by which time money would be forthcoming to meet it; but that, in consequence of being arrested upon another charge upon which he had been dismissed, he was prevented from placing any money to his credit in the bank. The complainant denied that she was asked to hold the cheque over. The jury found the prisoner guilty. Evidence was then given as to character, and it was also shown that prisoner was in a delicate state of health, and had been in the gaol hospital.

His HONOR, in sentencing the prisoner, said he was surprised at the verdict the jury had found. Although there were strong suspicions in the case, the circumstances surrounding it were not inconsistent with the defence, and he certainly thought the jury would have taken a more lenient view of the case. He could not set aside the verdict by ignoring it altogether, but he could pass a very light sentence. The case was apparently one which was only on the edge of criminality, and he could not think that the prisoner actually did intend absolutely to swindle the people out of their money. Prisoner was in a delicate state of health, but as he would receive every care and treatment in the gaol hospital, he could not feel justified in releasing him to appear when called upon. He thought that it would, on the whole, be much better for him to continue in his former custody. The sentence of the Court was that he should be imprisoned for two months. His Honor added that he would say nothing with regard to the question of hard labour.

LARCENY.

William Johnson and Herbert Frost were charged with having stolen a chandelier and seven gas brackets, the property of John F. Morgan. The prisoner Johnson pleaded guilty to the charge. The case was a very clear one. The evidence showed that the prisoners took the articles from a new house belonging to the complainant at Darling Point, and were arrested whilst trying to dispose of them. The jury found the prisoner Frost guilty. The prisoners were sentenced to two years' imprisonment, with hard labour.

The Court adjourned at 5 o'clock until 10 o'clock on Monday morning.

CASES FOR MONDAY.

The following cases are down for trial on Monday:—John Thompson, attempting to steal; William M'Donald, Joseph Kaul, and John Ahearn, larceny; Alfred Henry Shuman, false pretences; John Wilson, William Henry Nightingdale, and John Chapman, garotting; William Henry Nightingdale, inflicting grievous bodily harm.

PARRAMATTA QUARTER SESSIONS.—FRIDAY.

(Before Mr. District Court Judge WILKINSON.)

Mr. E. Lee prosecuted for the Crown.

STEALING.

Richard Elliott pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing an overcoat from the shop of Mr. A. C. Willis, tailor, Church-street, Parramatta. Previous convictions amounting in the aggregate to 15 years were proved against prisoner. He was remanded for sentence.

BIGAMY.

Richard Teasdell pleaded not guilty to a charge of bigamy. The evidence adduced for the prosecution showed that prisoner was married to one Emily Wright at St. Stephen's Church, Newtown, on the 20th September, 1884, and on the 25th July he married one Emily Overton at the Presbyterian Manse, Parramatta. It was shown that prisoner's wife had refused to live with him after the marriage. The jury returned a verdict of guilty against the prisoner, with a strong recommendation to mercy on account of the treatment he had received at the hands of his wife and her family. The Crown Prosecutor asked his Honor to inflict the lowest possible sentence. Prisoner was ordered to be imprisoned till the rising of the Court.

MALICIOUSLY WOUNDING.

William Sinnett was charged with maliciously wounding one Murdock Morrison, at Glenlee, near St. Mary's, on the 28th September. The evidence adduced went to show that prisoner and prosecutor were in the employ of Mr. Huon, at Glenlee. About 7 a.m. on the date named in the information an altercation arose between them, with the result that Sinnett struck Morrison with the head of an axe above the left ear, and knocked him down; while on the ground he struck him a second blow. Dr. Brady deposed that one of the wounds was a true wound. The jury found a verdict of guilty against the prisoner, but recommended him to mercy on account of the provocation he had received from prosecutor. He was remanded for sentence.

ASSAULT AND STEALING FROM THE PERSON.

William M'Donald and Neil M'Kinlay, two youths, were charged with having, at Penrith, on the 21st day of September, attempted to choke Charles Downes, with intent to rob him. A second count charged them with assaulting Downes, and stealing from him a sum of 25s., a purse, and various small articles. The evidence adduced showed that the prosecutor, a lad 15 years of age, paid the fares of the prisoners from Sydney to Penrith, where they spent a night and a day together, prosecutor paying all expenses. On the evening of the second day they were in a paddock, when M'Donald seized the prosecutor by the legs, threw him down, and endeavoured to throttle him. M'Kinlay rifled his pockets, and both prisoners then ran away. Both prisoners were found guilty of robbery with violence, and were each sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labour.

RETRENCHMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Do you not think that attention should be drawn to the large amount which has been set aside by the Government for improving public parks? This unnecessary expenditure, at a time when the Government should be husbanding every pound to meet the large deficit left on their hands, should, I think, be protested against by the press and public. The work of improving these parks might well be left to stand over for a year or two at least, when the Government will probably be in a better position as regards funds. Under present circumstances it would seem to be a better policy for the Government to withhold all expenditure which is not absolutely necessary. The country expects this of them; and surely no one can say that it is at all necessary to make improvements in these parks at the present time. Moreover, the work is likely to take local labourers from their present occupations, and after the improvements are completed these labourers will probably swell the ranks of the already too numerous employed. I am, &c.,

October 3. ECONOMY.

POLICE.

Mr. Buchanan, S.M., sat in the Charge branch of the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday. John Kelly, 36, no occupation, was fined £3, with the option of two months' imprisonment, for having used obscene language. Alma Lyons, 32, no occupation, was sent to gaol for three months as a vagrant. Nellie Judd, 22, no occupation, was ordered to pay £5, or to be imprisoned for three months with hard labour, for having used obscene language. Charles James, 29, dealer, was fined £2, with the option of a month's imprisonment, for a similar offence. John Hennessy and William Thomas were sent to gaol for 14 days for having had a quantity of stout in their possession which it was reasonably suspected had been stolen. Edward Tyler, 57, received a sentence of six months' hard labour for being without sufficient lawful means of support. A boy named Samuel Grant was sent to gaol for a month for having had in his possession a number of cigarettes concerning his acquirement of which he could offer no satisfactory explanation. John W. Buckley, a canvasser, was committed for trial upon a charge of having embezzled the sums of 2s. 6d., 3s., and 4s., the moneys of his employers, Messrs. M'Neill and Coffee, trading as the Oceanic Photographic Enlarging Company. Mr Abbott, S.M., presided in the Summons division. Norah Burke, for having used indecent words, was fined £3 4s. 10d.; in default of payment, two months. James Rivers, George Rivers, and George Buller were each fined £1 and costs for riotous behaviour; in default of payment, 14 days. Joseph James, Thomas James, and Mrs. James were each ordered to pay £3, and 4s. 10d. costs, for profanity and the use of indecent language, with the alternative of two months' hard labour. William Henry Wilson was ordered to pay 10s. per week for 12 months towards the support of his wife, Amelia Wilson. He was also committed to gaol until the sum of 30s., which was in arrear under an order of court, should be paid. John William Fay was ordered to pay 7s. 6d. per week for 12 months towards the support of the child of Kate Berry. A similar order was made against Norman Whitewig, in connection with the child of one Mary Hunt.

The business in the Charge Division of the WATER POLICE COURT was dealt with by Mr. J. M. Marsh, S.M. Harry Williams and William Moran were each sent to gaol for 14 days, with hard labour, for having four silk handkerchiefs in their possession which were reasonably suspected to have been stolen. Herman Wyndall, 27, a German gardener, was fined 10s. or four days' gaol for behaving in an indecent manner in Argyle-street. Thomas Talback, 23, labourer, was fined 20s., or in default, to be imprisoned for seven days, with hard labour, for refusing to pay the sum of 6s., his fare from Newcastle to Sydney per the s.s. Sydney, when requested so to do. Adolphus Gitar, 36, carver, John Albertson, 28, compositor, and Philip Haddon alias Morris, 22, no occupation, who were similarly charged, were each fined 20s., or in default, seven days' gaol, with hard labour. The last-named prisoner was further fined £3, or two months' gaol, with hard labour, for using indecent language in William-street. Max Jordon, a fitter, and a native of Germany, was charged, on remand, with assaulting a labourer named Frank Brown, who resides in Macquarie-street South, and was sent to prison for three months, with hard labour. Sydney Jarvis, 19, labourer, was sent to gaol for three months with hard labour on a charge of stealing a silver watch, value 30s., the property of a single woman named Alice Farquharson, residing at No. 2, Hill's-lane. Joseph Lee, 26, dealer, was charged by warrant with stealing two pictures, value £3, the property of Charles Livock, residing at No. 25, Little Bloomfield-street. The accused was sent to gaol for three months with hard labour. Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., disposed of a number of cases in the Summons division. Several persons were fined for breaches of the Transit Commissioners' by-laws.

Mr. O'Malley Clarke, S.M., presided at the NEWTOWN POLICE COURT. Thomas Kurneich, 25, gardener, and Jno. Anderson, 36, labourer, for an aggravated assault on Edward Maundrell, were each fined £10 and costs, or six months' imprisonment. James Wariner, 36, painter, was charged with inflicting grievous bodily harm on his wife, Mary Ann Wariner. Prisoner admitted striking his wife once only, and under great provocation, stating that prosecutrix struck him several times. After hearing the evidence, the S.M. characterised the assault as a most cowardly one, and sentenced prisoner to six months' hard labour. Robert Mildwater, an aboriginal lad of about 15, for riding on a tram without payment, was fined 40s. and costs. James Mitchell, for using obscene language, was fined 40s. and costs, or 14 days.

Messrs. H. Byrnes, G. Wickham, and John Taylor, Js.P., presided at the PARRAMATTA POLICE COURT. Philip Riley, a member of the Granville Lodge, No. 196, United Ancient Order of Druids, was ordered to pay £3 8s. 10d., due by him to the lodge for arrears and fines, together with court costs and professional costs. It was stated in evidence that defendant had received as sick pay from the lodge a sum of £15 18s., and had only paid in £4 6s.

MARINE BOARD.

The Marine Board continued their inquiry yesterday into the collision between the steamers Gabo and Flora. The following members of the board were present:—Captain Hixson (President), Captain Broomfield (vice-president), Captains M'Lean, Robertson, Jenkins, Moodie, and Commander Lindeman, secretary.

The collision occurred in Darling Harbour, opposite the Gasworks, on the 23rd September. The Flora is a screw steamer of 830 tons register, belonging to the Tasmanian Steam Navigation Company, and had just left the Grafton Wharf, outward bound for Hobart. The Gabo is a screw steamer of 1240 tons register, belonging to Messrs. Howard Smith and Sons, and was outward bound for Melbourne. Whilst the Gabo was crossing the Flora's bows her starboard quarter came into collision with the latter vessel's bow, twisting the stem to starboard. Mr. Pilcher, instructed by Dr. Sly, appeared on behalf of the owners and captain of the Flora; and Mr. J. H. Want, instructed by Mr. Charles Bull, on behalf of the owners and captain of the Gabo.

On Thursday the evidence on behalf of the Flora was taken, and the examination of witnesses from the Gabo commenced. On resuming the inquiry, the evidence on behalf of the Gabo was continued.

Edward Keats, second mate of the Gabo, stated that he was on board of the vessel at the time of the collision; when she left the wharf there was a clear course down the harbour, but when abreast of the Tasmanian Company's Wharf he saw the Flora hauling out from the wharf; the Flora came out apparently on the port helm; when the Flora hauled out the Gabo was a little ahead, but the Flora gradually closed on the Gabo until she got within 80ft. of the Gabo; the Gabo was then heading straight down the harbour, and the Flora was heading at a slight angle to the Gabo's course; they were then a little to the west of the main channel; the Gabo's helm was ported, and she went full speed ahead, and if this had not been done the Flora would have struck the Gabo amidships where the engines and boilers were; this course lessened the force of the collision, and the danger resulting from it; at the time of the collision the Flora had headway on.

By Mr. Pilcher: The Gabo was going about four knots before the collision became inevitable, and she went full speed ahead; could not say whether the Flora was clear of the wharf and her lines cast off when he first saw her. Witnesses then pointed out with models the relative positions of the vessels.

E. C. Martin, Inspector of Factories, stated that he was a passenger on board the Gabo at the time of the collision; the Gabo was on her course heading down Darling Harbour; when he first saw the Flora she was coming away from the wharf; the Gabo was then ahead of the Flora, and the Flora was coming on straight for the Gabo's bows; saw that the Flora could not pass the Gabo's bows; saw the Gabo's stem come round, as if to get away from the Flora, and then the collision took place; the Flora had headway on at the time of the collision; the vessels were about 30 to 40ft. apart when he heard the Gabo's engine-room bell ring; if the Gabo's stem had not been swung away from the Flora, the Flora would have struck the Gabo amidships, and in his opinion what was done by the Gabo lessened the force of the collision.

Alexander Gilian, second officer of the Illaroo, deposed to seeing the collision from Smith's Wharf, and stated that Mr. Harvey, chief officer of the Illaroo, who gave evidence yesterday, did not see the collision take place; before the collision the Gabo was ahead of the Flora, and then he saw the Flora strike the Gabo; the Flora had headway on at the time of the collision.

Peter Bruen, a passenger on board the Gabo, also gave an account of the collision, stating that the Gabo was ahead before the collision took place; he thought the course taken by the Gabo lessened the force of the collision.

George MacFarland, a wharfinger who saw the collision, gave an account of it. He stated that before the collision the Flora was ahead; if both vessels had stopped and reversed in time, the collision might have been avoided.

Albert Johnstone, who saw the collision from a schooner laying in Pyrmont Bight; H. Macnamara, lamp trimmer on board the Gabo; and Donald Mackay, an A.B. on board the Gabo, also gave evidence.

Aug. Petersen, another seaman on board the Gabo, was also examined.

Henry Bennison, captain of the Flora, was recalled by Mr. Pilcher. He stated that his speed on leaving the wharf was slow ahead, not exceeding two miles an hour; if the Gabo had stopped in time the collision would have been avoided.

By Mr. Want: The Flora was not fairly in her true line down the harbour; she was heading north by west half west; he looked at the compasses when he stopped the engines; there was no deviation in his compasses; the full speed of the Flora coal loaded was about 11 knots.

The inquiry was then adjourned until Monday next, at 2.15 p.m.

THE BELMORE GARDENS TRAMROAD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In view of the several fatal accidents, and the many narrow escapes from accidents, which have occurred in this road, several of which I have been eye-witness to, allow me to suggest that all the openings in the fence leading into this road be at once closed, even the main entrances at each end, which openings could be made round the corner in the iron railings, and a bridge of an inexpensive kind thrown over the road in the centre for pedestrians. I think if this were done, and the drivers were to use due precaution before entering or leaving the road, an accident would be almost an impossibility. I am, &c.,

S. C. WHIDDON, 91, Elizabeth-street North.

SKINNY MEN.—"Wells's Health Renewer" restores health and vigour; cures dyspepsia. At chemists and druggists'.—[ADVT.]

DEPUTATIONS.

A CENTENNIAL INTERCOLONIAL SHOW.

A deputation from the New South Wales Agricultural Society, consisting of Messrs. Cox, M.L.C., Wilson, M.L.A., Richardson, J. De V. Lamb, and Webster, waited on the Premier yesterday, and requested that the Government should contribute a sum of five or six thousand pounds as a grant to the society to assist them in holding an intercolonial exhibition or show during the Centennial year.

Mr. RICHARDSON pointed out that it would be quite impossible for the society to have a show such as was contemplated without some assistance from the Government.

Sir HENRY PARKES: Don't you think you ought to submit, in a tangible form, what you really want, and the lines on which you propose to hold the show?

Mr. COX: We propose to hold a show on lines similar to the show of 1879. There was a building to be erected for a special exhibit of wool, and it would be necessary to have increased accommodation provided at the present pavilion of the society.

Sir HENRY PARKES: Under what condition is this sum of money asked?

Mr. WILSON: The subsidy is required for two purposes—to erect additional buildings and to provide handsome prizes, to induce the other colonies to exhibit.

Sir HENRY PARKES promised to submit the matter to the Cabinet, and said he would be pleased if the deputation would put in writing the substance of what they proposed, especially as far as it concerned the other colonies. The Government intended to invite representatives from all the colonies to Sydney in January next, and intended to take steps to put this colony in its proper relative position to the other Australian colonies in the celebration of the Centenary. He would very much like to see an exhibition held that would be thoroughly representative of Australia. He would like to know what prospects there were of the other colonies exhibiting.

Mr. COX: I am almost sure they will.

Mr. WILSON asked if in view of the Government removing the rifle range it would be possible to have the society's ground extended to the fence, so as to take in a small triangular portion planted with trees.

Sir HENRY PARKES said the Government was already seriously thinking of removing the fence of the rifle range to take in some of the society's ground, inasmuch as the area would in all probability not be sufficient for the purposes required.

INCORPORATION OF THE FIELD OF MARS.

A deputation representing the Field of Mars, accompanied by Messrs. M'Culloch and Farnell, Ms.L.A., waited on the Premier yesterday and presented a petition signed by 130 of the residents, praying for the incorporation of that town.

Sir HENRY PARKES said the prayer would receive consideration without delay.

RECREATION RESERVE FOR THE FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

A large deputation representing the following Friendly Societies waited on the Premier yesterday:—U.A.O. Druids, G.U.I.O.O. Fellows, I.OO. Fellows, O.R.F., G.U.O.F.G. Sons of Temperance, I.O.O. Rechabites, Sydney Marine Benefit Society, Sydney Storemen's Benefit Society, and the A. O. Foresters.

Mr. HAYNES, M.L.A., who introduced the deputation, said that the societies represented numbered upwards of 50,000 members, and that they came to request the Government to give them a piece of ground for recreation purposes somewhere in the vicinity of the city.

Mr. C. J. LANE suggested a site near the Paddington rifle range.

Mr. BRETNALL said a corner of the proposed Centennial Park might be allotted to them.

Sir HENRY PARKES replied, that in order to make the park complete and of full proportions it might be found necessary to resume land. He thought a good site might be got at North Shore, where there were some lovely spots, and where the Government had such immense tracts that they could put a half-million pounds worth of land on the market to-morrow if necessary. He would lay their application before the Cabinet, because it was a matter that he could not undertake to decide himself. He would represent their case in such a way that they need not fear that their interests would be prejudiced.

THE PROPOSED RAILWAY TO DUNDAS.

Yesterday a deputation of residents in Dural were introduced by Messrs. V. Parkes, A. M'Culloch, and F. Farnell, Ms.L.A., to the Minister for Works, to lay before him matters connected with the proposed railway to Dundas. They pointed out that the survey was now being made from Parramatta to Dural, but they considered that route was defective, and that one from the terminus of the Rosehill private line to Dural and Castle Hill would be superior. The crossing over the river would not be expensive. The route would pass through a large portion of Government land, materially enhancing its value. The cost of the resumed land would be much less, and they believed a large portion would be given free. They simply asked now for the survey, in order to demonstrate which was the better route.

Mr. SUTHERLAND informed the deputation that he thought their request was reasonable, as it was to the best interests of the country to obtain all possible information before considering any proposed line. A survey would not bind the Government in any way, and its cost would not be great. He therefore promised that a survey should be made as early as possible. He pointed out that the choice of the line might be largely determined by the action of the land-owners. If they acted liberally the line would be more likely to have favourable consideration, but if it were found that much compensation would have to be paid it would prejudice their claims.

PLATFORM NEAR PYRMONT BRIDGE.

Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.A., introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday Mr J. G. Swain and other residents of Pyrmont and districts, who urged the desirability of constructing a railway passenger platform at Pyrmont Bridge, for the convenience of the large population of Pyrmont, Ultimo, Balmain, the residents of the northern part of the city generally, and the frequenters of the meat and produce markets now nearly completed. Mr. Sutherland quite agreed as to the convenience which would be afforded by the platform if erected, but said that its construction was not recommended by the officers of the department. The passenger trains would have to run through Darling Harbour yard, where shunting was going on all day and all night. The accommodation here was barely sufficient for the existing traffic, and to work passenger traffic a branch line service would be required. Still, he would inquire into the matter and try to get a platform erected as near to the place as possible.

NEWCASTLE TRAMWAY.

A deputation consisting of the Mayor and council of Waratah was introduced to the Minister for Public Works yesterday morning, by Messrs. Fletcher, Ellis, Creer, and Walker, Ms.L.A., and they asked for an extension of the tramway from Newcastle to Wickham, Tighe's Hill, and Waratah. They pointed out that the population of Newcastle was over 60,000, and the suburban residents there desired a similar privilege to that enjoyed by the residents of the suburbs in Sydney. The sanitary view of the matter was touched upon, and it was stated that the suburbs which would be tapped by the tramway were amongst the most healthy in the colony. It was also urged that the proposed line would certainly be a paying one. Mr. Sutherland said that he would order a survey to be made, and then he would be in a position to say what the total cost of the line would be. He would send a surveyor there as soon as possible.

PLATFORM AT EVELEIGH STATION.

A deputation from the council of Redfern asked that a railway siding should be constructed at Eveleigh station. Mr. Schey, who introduced it, pointed out that the siding would be of value to both Redfern, Waterloo, and Alexandria. Several members of the deputation stated that there were no obstructions in the way. The ground was leasehold, and could be easily acquired. By the siding the work at Darling Harbour would be much relieved. Mr. Sutherland admitted the great convenience that would result from the siding, and said that he would make representations to the Government and do the best he could in the matter. He would try to get the most suitable place for the benefit of the people, and recognised that good might be done by the siding by relieving the great pressure of work at Darling Harbour.

BRISBANE WATER.

A deputation was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday by Mr. Stevenson, M.L.A., in reference to the dredging of Brisbane Water. In pointing out the importance of the matter, and alluding to the inconvenience caused, Mr. Stevenson quoted a number of figures relating to the passenger and cargo traffic. In regard to the Peats Ferry and Gosford steamer placed on that line since the opening of the Gosford-Newcastle section there had been from the 16th to the 23rd August 256 persons travelling, which had in no visible way interfered or diminished the usual steamer average, proving that they had been persons who do not belong to Gosford or the ordinary Gosford travellers, but rather those who would not make a sea passage and are residents of Newcastle and northern districts. From what he heard from various sources after the route was better known the number would, he was assured, be largely increased. The steamers had had great difficulties in crossing the bar. It was hard that something had not been done to it and the river in the interest of navigation before this, particularly when the fact exists of such a traffic being carried on. The following figures were quoted as showing the amount of passenger traffic:—Number of passengers that had travelled to and from Gosford and Sydney from January 1st to 31st July, 1887, in the steamers Gosford, Charlotte Fenwick, Promise, and Defiance, 10,645 adults. Taking the average for three years to 31st July, 1887, there had been per annum 20,000. With regard to goods, the same dates for the last three years, goods had been shipped to the amount of per annum 5000 tons. These particulars applied solely to the steamers Gosford, Charlotte Fenwick, Defiance, Promise, and Genista. Of other vessels trading to that place, there were the steamers Emperor, Grayhound, Ena, Squirrel, and the ketches Maggie Riley, Day Dawn, Australian, Venus, Mary Davis, Jonathan, Teresa, and others.

Mr. SUTHERLAND admitted the importance of the information, and promised to give it his earnest consideration.

A FACT TO BE REMEMBERED.
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SUGAR BOUNTIES AND RETALIATION.

The following are extracts from "Free Trade v. Fair Trade," a work written last year by Sir T. H. Farrer, Bart., of the British Board of Trade:—

"Sugar claims a chapter to itself. From the time when the word, thrice uttered by the imperious voice of the first Pitt, cowed a tittering House of Commons into silence, it has occupied a prominent place in politics. It has been an important factor in the development of our Colonial Empire, in the struggles for the abolition of slavery, and in the controversies which have established and crowned free trade. Even at this moment it attracts much attention from financiers and economists. The accident of bounties on foreign sugar, themselves an undoubted outrage on economic laws, gives to the protectionists an opportunity of masquerading as freetraders in assailing bounties, and under this guise they seek, whilst advocating retaliation, to betray an outpost of free trade where they dare not attack the citadel. We are told that our present free admission of beet sugar is ruining the future of our own market; that it is destroying cane sugar; that it is alienating our colonies; committees of the House of Commons advise retaliation; statesmen seek for inquiry; and agitators tell English workmen that they are deprived by foreign countries of 15 millions a year in work and wages. These suggestions and statements are for the most part not only not true; they are the reverse of the truth. But it is worth while to examine the whole subject as carefully as my limits will allow, for the purpose of seeing, not only what modicum of truth there is in some of them, but what light the case throws on the economical laws we have been discussing.

"Independently of the great political and social questions with which sugar has been connected, it possesses an economical and social importance of its own which it is difficult to exaggerate. The total production and consumption of the world is enormous, though exact figures cannot be given. There are some countries in which the quantity is not precisely known, but is known to be very large. India, for instance, which exports little, has been estimated to produce and consume 2,000,000 tons or upwards. But omitting these countries, and taking those only whose production is accurately known, the present annual production of the world is estimated at more than 4,000,000 tons, which at £20 a ton would be worth £80,000,000. It also increases very largely. In 1855 the production of these same countries was less than 1,500,000 tons. Further, the increase has taken place in cane sugar as well as in beet sugar. Thus the known total of cane sugar has increased from about 1,200,000 tons in 1853-1856 to upwards of 2,000,000 tons in 1882, whilst that of beet sugar increased in the same time from 200,000 to 1,780,000 tons.

"Of the supplies thus produced (again excluding India, China, and other countries of which the production is not known), England, though producing none herself, consumes the largest proportion. In 1883, after deducting nearly 100,000 tons of re-exported sugar, of which more than half was refined in this country, her whole share was 1,083,000 tons, or about 68lb. per head of the population. This at £30 a ton, which, after taking into account expenses of manufacture and distribution, is probably not too high a figure, represents an annual expenditure of £30,000,000, or about half the sum which the people of the United Kingdom pay for wheat, when wheat is at or under 40s. a quarter. At the same time the price has much diminished. In 1841 the average consumption per head of the population was 16·99lb., at an average price per cwt. of 63s. 5½d., the wholesale value of the 16·99lb. per head being therefore 9s. 7½d. In 1883 the estimated consumption per head was 68·1lb., at an average cost per head of 12s. 10d., or nearly four times the quantity to each person at only one-third more cost. In 1884 the quantities were about the same, but the price was about one-fifth less, making the cost per head in 1884 about 10s., against 9s. 7½d. for one-fourth of the quantity consumed in 1841.

"An investigation into the quality and price of the sugar retailed in Germany appears to show that where the English people pay 2d., 2½d., and 3d. a pound for good sugar, the Germans pay nearly twice those sums for sugars of an inferior quality. The German housekeeper who wishes to sweeten her tea or to cook the sweet dishes in which Germans excel, has to pay at least twice as much for an inferior article as her English sister. Germany is the country which shows the greatest skill in the production of sugar, which has advanced its manufacture to the highest point, adds comforts and luxuries to the life of the English workman, but does not allow its own poor and industrious people to enjoy the fruits of their own industry.

"Considering that sugar has become an article of food, or of luxury, if you will, in which the poor share, not unequally, with the rich; which makes other food palatable and wholesome; and which women and children enjoy no less than men, the advantage of such a result as I have described to the toiling millions of the United Kingdom is no small matter. But this result is not all. The enormously increased supply of sugar has brought to them also increased employment and wages.

"The actual trade in the increase of quantity consumed has itself added large and profitable employment to our ships, to our railways, to our merchants and their clerks, to our refiners, and to our shopkeepers. The amount thus expended on English labour in 1883 on the increased quantity of sugar used in that year, over and above the amount expended on similar labour in 1863, has been estimated by the *Produce Market Review* (March 15, 1884) at £5,500,000.

"Nor is this all. The whole of the sugar imported does not go into direct consumption, but becomes the raw material of various manufactures. There is, of course, the refining, an increasing trade, of which I shall say more below. But besides refining, there are a number of subsidiary manufactures depending on sugar, which are largely on the increase, and which are more important than refining. Of these the largest is probably the manufacture of jams and confectionery, which is dependent on a cheap supply of refined sugar, and for which certain descriptions of foreign refined sugar are specially suitable. We know that in London about 45,000 tons are used in the jam and confectionery business, employing from 5000 to 6000 persons; and the returns of this manufacture in Scotland show not much less. More than 100,000 tons are employed in the United Kingdom in this business alone, and more than 12,000 hands, which is more than twice the number of hands employed in sugar refining. This, it is to be remembered, is a manufacture which supplies a cheap and wholesome luxury to the poor, and which calls into existence other industries, such as fruit-growing, which are themselves of great importance to the country. Other industries, such as the making of biscuits, with which we supply the world, and of mineral waters, brewing, and cattle-feeding, also depend largely on sugar. Cheap and good sugar is a very important raw material.

"The importance to the nation of our cheap and plentiful supply of sugar it is, therefore, difficult to exaggerate. How have we managed to obtain it? The answer is very simple, viz., by opening our ports and receiving freely what our neighbours have offered us. But as our protectionist friends wish us to reverse this policy, it is worth while to consider the point a little more carefully.

"Sugar, considered as an article of general consumption, and also, though the word is misleading, as an article of luxury, has been a favourite object of taxation; the more so, perhaps, because originally it was an article produced in foreign and distant countries. But even then much of it was refined in Europe, and this raised a difficulty. It has always been the practice where any article has paid duty, and has undergone a process of manufacture, to give back the duty on its being re-exported, under the name of 'drawback.' When the article exported can be recognised as the same article which has paid duty, this is a simple thing to do. But when the article has undergone a change since it paid duty, a calculation is necessary in order that the amount actually paid, no more and no less, may be restored as drawback. Thus an import duty was paid on raw sugar; it was refined in the country of import; and some of the refined sugar was re-exported. It became then a problem for the Governments of Europe to discover what was the relation of a given quantity of refined sugar to the raw sugar from which it was made, so as to determine what was the amount of duty to be repaid. This proved to be a very difficult problem, and the difficulty was much increased when European nations began to make sugar from beet, and when the problem was to determine not only the relation of raw sugar to refined sugar, but the relation of sugar, raw or refined, to the original material of which it was made. The Governments were in a dilemma. If they gave as drawback on the manufactured article less than had been paid on the raw material, they were burdening their manufacturers with a tax which discouraged exportation. If they gave more, they were giving a bounty on exportation, and were thus artificially raising the price to their own citizens, and lowering it to foreigners, by means of money drawn from the pockets of their own taxpayers. Beset by these embarrassments, the Governments of Europe, our own among the rest, floundered on for years. By conference after conference, by measure after measure, they endeavoured to hit the right mean; and, generally speaking, the special trade, as is usual in such cases, got the better of the public, and secured to itself some bounty in the way of drawback. This was the state of things in 1863, and in this country a graduated scale of duties and drawbacks was established and sanctioned by International Convention in 1864. At last, after the duties had been twice halved by successive Governments, they were wholly abolished in 1874. The results are as follow:—The consumption of the country was 473,000 tons in 1863; it was 1,083,000 tons in 1883. The exports had doubled also. The average cost of sugar to the grocers was 41s. per cwt. in 1863; it was 23s. 3d. in 1883. This reduction consisted of the duty, which was 12s. 6d., and in addition of 5s. 1½d., or more than ½d. a lb. saved by increased demand and improved supply. According to the official statistics, we paid for sugar imported, including duty, 18¼ millions in 1863, whilst in 1883 we paid about 25 millions, and in 1884 we paid about 20 millions for twice the quantity. Sir Stafford Northcote removed a very troublesome tax, which brought into the revenue less than 6¼ millions in 1863, and only about 3¼ millions in 1873, and in so doing he has saved the country from 12 to 17 millions in the price of sugar, as imported, and much more on sugar as retailed; and he has vastly increased and improved the food of the people, besides encouraging many native industries.

"Not only has the price been thus enormously reduced, but the quality has been enormously improved. Good white sugar may now be found in every cottage.

"It should be added that the German exports of refined sugar did not until lately increase in the same proportion as those of raw sugar. In 1882 they were 17·6 per cent. of the total exports of sugar, in 1883 only 14·8 per cent., and in 1884 they were 17·9 per cent. Her refiners, Mr. Scott's report tells us, cannot compete successfully with our own. In the last year the import of refined sugar has increased.

"Proposals have been laid before the German Legislature for altering their system, and a Committee of the Reichstag has accepted a proposal by which the bounty would be reduced by rather more than one-half. In the course of the discussion on these proposals, Deputy Gehlen (who is said to be a strong protectionist) made the following statements, which may be quoted as a remarkable criticism on the system of bounties:—'The sugar industry is quite 40 years old. Until about 1875 it slowly but surely developed through its own natural strength, and was till then one of the most valuable elements of our national production. Since that time it has been subsidised by the State at a cost of £7,500,000, and has, solely in consequence of this stimulus, attained its present dimensions. If size and soundness be equivalent things, then the condition of the sugar industry has become extraordinarily sound in the past ten years. Some £20,000,000 to £25,000,000 have been sunk in building factories, which employ 50,000 workmen. But, gentlemen, in the year of the sugar crisis the State subsidy amounted to fully £2,000,000. Reckoned in one way, this subsidy was equivalent to a dividend of 8 to 10 per cent. on the capital invested in building the factories; reckoned in another way, the State paid the whole of the wages of these 50,000 workmen, who would surely not receive more than £2,000,000 in wages. Gentlemen, would not any industry, textile or other, under similar conditions have expanded to a similar extent? And yet there followed the great sugar bankruptcies, and heavy losses on unrealisable property both to the State Treasury and to private individuals; there were thousands of workmen thrown on the streets—as to whose fate the speculative element in the industry pays little heed; there were accumulated stocks and miserably low prices; in short, there was the crisis which still lasts, and which has assumed a yet broader basis. When people say, "Oh, but we have exported such and such a quantity," is that the question in point? The real question is whether this export has been done at a profit or at a loss, and if at the latter, since when has it been held that the heaviness of the weight sold is a desirable element in loss? Would to God that not a pound of sugar had been exported from Germany if the result has been a loss! People say again, "But £20,000,000 to £25,000,000 have been invested in sugar factories." Good heavens! what are these £20,000,000 to £25,000,000 worth to-day? What would the shares in these factories fetch on 'Change? Or the increased value of the sugar estates is adduced; but how does their actual value compare with their values on paper to-day when the subsidy is still being given? If these last fictitious assets were taken at their real value, and if the patient State Treasury were to be quite closed, what would remain of the "brilliantly developed sugar industry," of the "industry which on the whole appears in a highly satisfactory state," &c., &c.? No, I cannot discern the smallest gain to our country, nor any reason to maintain the present state of things. The profits of this system have only been reaped by England. It is German capital that has enabled England to give sugar to her cattle; it is German capital that has so developed the English manufacture of sweets that it successfully competes with the German manufacture in the markets of the world, and in Germany itself. With the sugar exported to England, a part of the German consumption was exported. We pay one and a half to two millions sterling to enable England to consume what would properly be worked up by our German industry. Gentlemen, I fear that this system has made us the laughing-stock of our English cousins.'

"Austro-Hungary levies her duties on an estimate of the quantity of sugar contained in the vessels used in manufacture. A few years since this estimate was so much too large as to give a large bounty on exportation, and Austria led the way in the race of ruin. She has since revised her estimate, and has fallen far behind Germany in exports. But not the less have her manufactures felt the recent glut and the reaction from the unnatural stimulus; and bankruptcies and failures among Austrian sugar-makers were notorious during 1884-85.

"France revised her system some years since, with the view of putting an end to bounties, and, though her production has increased rapidly, her exports have diminished. Frightened by the progress of Germany, and by the distress of her beet-growers and sugar-makers, France revised her sugar taxation in 1884. She raised her duty on home-grown sugar; she increased the differential duties on foreign sugars; she adopted the system of taxing beet as the raw material; and purposely gave a heavy drawback on export, which has been estimated at twice the amount of the German bounty. It is too early to say what the actual result is, but it may be confidently predicted that her measures will, if they have the effect contemplated, throw an additional burden on her exhausted exchequer, and raise the price of sugar to her own consumers and manufacturers. At present it seems that our imports from France are not on the increase. She is beaten in our markets by Germany and America.

"Belgium, which has largely increased her exportation in late years, has been also perplexed by the distress of her sugar interest, and, after an inquiry into her mode of taxation, has proposed a new law. She disapproves of bounties, and will not extend them; nor will she substitute for her present system of taxing the juice expressed from beet the German plan of taxing the root itself. But she is imposing an increased differential duty on foreign sugar. It deserves notice that the Belgian makers of jams, confectionery, and biscuits, whose English rivals have, as we have seen, profited so largely by the cheap sugar of England, have petitioned their Government, but in vain, for a drawback on exportation of the taxed sugar they use in their manufacture.

"Holland, which taxes her sugar by a process of saccharimetry, or chemical measurement of the quantity of sugar contained in the juice, has recently revised her method. She is said to give a considerable bounty, and has largely increased her exports.

"Russia has also joined in the fatal race of bounties, and has, perhaps, committed a more glaring folly than any other country. In 1884-5 her production exceeded her consumption, and the Russian sugar producers succeeded in getting from their impoverished public exchequer a direct and express bounty on all sugar exported within a given time, which has now expired. The result was an importation into this country which amounted to 200,000cwt. per month in the course of last winter. What wonder that, with a Government capable of such interference with trade, the sugar producers should actually have asked for a law to limit sugar production in future years? It is right to add that the Russian Government look on their policy as temporary, and treat the bounty as a loan to be repaid by the sugar interest at some future time.

"Above all, in all these countries, however much manufacture and export may have increased, there is great distress among the protected classes. Protection and bounties have produced their usual results, viz., an unnatural stimulus, and large immediate profits, followed by a glut, collapse, and ruin.

"One other point deserves notice. If there are any European countries of whose bounty-fed competition our sugar refiners and West Indian interests have complained, they are Germany, Holland, and Belgium. It is these countries, if any, which have displaced the labour of the English workman. We have already seen, in the account above given of the trades set in action by our increased sugar supply, how absurd this assertion is. But there is another answer, and, if not a mere coincidence, it is a curious illustration of the free-trade maxim, 'Take care of the imports, and the exports will take care of themselves.' Our imports of sugar from Germany, Holland, and Belgium have been as follows:—

	Value.		Value.
1880	£7,264,000	1883	£10,412,000
1881	8,369,000	1884	7,829,000
1882	7,295,000	1885	7,378,000

Showing an increase of about three millions in 1883, the year in which the value of sugar imported from these countries was at its highest point, over 1880. Our total exports of British and Irish produce to these countries have been as follows:—

	Value.		Value.
1880	£31,966,000	1883	£36,622,000
1881	33,406,000	1884	37,468,000
1882	35,978,000	1885	33,100,000

Showing an increase of about four millions and a half, comparing 1883 with 1880, as before. Thus the increased import of sugar in 1883 had been more than balanced by a proportionate export of our own manufactures, which must have given employment to an increased number of our own workmen employed on those manufactures.

"So far as we have gone, there is certainly nothing in the present state of the sugar trade which should make us desire to imitate the systems of other nations. We are, nevertheless, asked to do so by two very importunate interests, viz., the sugar refiners of this country, and the English owners of West India sugar estates. Their cases are inconsistent, for it is the interest of the refiners to have cheap raw sugar, and it is the interest of the West India planters that raw sugar should be dear. But they unite in urging retaliation against foreign sugar bounties. Let us see first what their wrongs are, and then what are their proposed remedies.

"First, as to the refiners. It is alleged that the foreign bounties are destroying this important trade; and agitators circulate the preposterous assertion that the British workman is thus deprived of 15 millions annually in wages. Now, what are the facts? It was shown in 1881 that since 1864 the refining trade of this country had lost about 50,000 tons of loaf sugar, but had gained 30,000 tons of other sorts of hard sugar, and 300,000 tons of moist sugar. The quantity of sugar refined at home increased between 1880 and 1883 from 653,000 tons to 816,000 tons, and the number of men employed in it also increased considerably. The importation of foreign refined sugar did not increase between 1877 and 1883, being 171,000 tons in 1877, 152,000 tons in 1880, and 164,000 tons in 1883; in 1884 it was 213,000 tons, and in 1885, 261,000 tons. The exports of refined sugar from the United Kingdom have increased, being 56,000 tons in 1877, 48,000 tons in 1880, 58,000 tons in 1883, and 65,000 tons in 1884. These are not figures of a declining trade. Since 1884, however, there is reason to believe that our refiners have been hard hit by the continuance of the German bounties, the new Russian bounties, and the import of refined sugar from America, encouraged by low Atlantic freights and probably also by a system of bounties.

"The net imports of refined sugar have increased to 256,000 tons in 1885, and are 172,000 tons for the first seven months of 1886; whilst the exports of refined sugar were 49,700 tons in 1885, and are 22,400 tons for the first seven months of 1886.

"It is impossible under such circumstances to withhold sympathy from our sugar refiners. They are fostered by no protective duty; they are stimulated by no bounty. They are the innocent victims of a glut, caused to a great extent by the foolish policy of other countries. It is a small consolation to them to reflect that the petted producers of those countries are suffering from this policy as much as themselves. But, after all, sugar-refining in this country is at the best a comparatively small trade, and the capital employed in it does not probably attain £3,000,000. It is, whether as regards capital or workmen employed, a trade of far less importance than the subsidiary trades mentioned above which cheap refined sugar has called into existence, and for some of which foreign refined sugar has special advantages. Looking to the interest of the workman considered as a producer only, and putting aside his still more important interest as a consumer of sugar, it would be simple madness to exclude foreign refined sugar in the supposed interest of British refiners.

"The case of the West India sugar planters is one deserving of even more sympathy. They have no doubt been deprived, by the competition of beet sugar, of the proportion of the market of the United Kingdom which without such competition they might have expected to enjoy, and some part of this competition is no doubt due to foreign bounties. But their statements are grossly exaggerated. It is alleged, for instance, that the increase of beet sugar is entirely due to the bounty system. This is contrary to the evidence which has been taken abroad, and which shows that the growth of beet is largely due to agricultural improvements in France and Germany, as well as to energy and skill in manufacture, and that it is intimately connected with improvements in the growth and feeding of cattle. It is, moreover, inconsistent with existing facts, as shown by the official statistics. Only a part of the beet sugar produced is bounty-fed. In some countries—*e.g.*, in France—there has in late years been no bounty, and yet the production increases rapidly. It is only on the sugar exported that a bounty can possibly be paid, and this is only 700,000 tons out of a total of beet sugar production of about 2,000,000 tons.

"The case and prospects of the West India planters are therefore not so bad as has been stated; not worse, probably, at the present moment than those of protected sugar producers in foreign countries. There has been a general glut, and they, in common with others, have suffered. If they can retain their share of the North-American market; and if, above all, as much skill and energy can be put into their manufacture as is put into the manufacture of beet sugar by France and Germany, there is no reason why they should not have a prosperous future.

"But the case of the West Indian planters is open to one or two further observations.

"It would be a mistake, at any rate as regards Jamaica, to treat the sugar interest as identical with that of the whole people. The interest is rather that of English capital. The black population have other employments and other interests.

"In the second place, the West India sugar interest is a small interest compared with that of the consuming classes in England. The annual value of the whole of the sugar produced in the West Indies is probably under £5,000,000, as compared with £25,000,000, which was the declared value of the sugar imported into the United Kingdom in 1883. According to the representations of the West India sugar interest (which are no doubt exaggerations), the reduction in price of the sugar consumed in the United Kingdom due to foreign bounties is over £5,000,000. So that for the purpose of a small increase in their revenue they ask us to sacrifice a sum which is more than equal to the whole of their production.

"It remains to consider very shortly the remedies suggested by the refiners and the West India interests.

"If we begin by retaliating against bounties, we must ask what is meant by the term. Canada and all new countries make grants of land to emigrants. Is this a bounty on corn-growing? The Indian Government subsidise railways. Is this, as some of our agriculturists are now alleging, a bounty on Indian wheat? Brazil guarantees interest on capital invested in sugar factories, and New Zealand gives them special encouragement. Are all these bounties, and are they to be assailed by retaliatory duties? If so, what are the retaliatory duties to be, and where are they to stop?

"In the next place, what is the exact amount of the duty to be? It is intended to neutralise the bounty, neither more nor less. If it does more, it is plain protection; if less, it does not answer its purpose. But no one has the least conception what the bounty in any case is. It differs in every country, on every parcel of sugar. No two opinions agree about it in any one case. To determine the amount of such a duty baffles all the experts. It is an impossible task.

"Again, it is very improbable that retaliatory duties would produce the desired effect on foreign Governments. Most of them, for financial reasons, now dislike bounties, and know that they are taxing their subjects to give us cheap sugar. If we retaliate, it will show that we think the bounties beneficial to the country which proposes them, and injurious to ourselves, and this will lend strength to the interests which desire to retain them.

"Lastly, the effect of any countervailing duty would be to raise the price of a necessary article to all the people of the United Kingdom, and it would raise it by much more than the amount of the duty. Assuming the duty to be 2s. 6d. per cwt., which is apparently not much more than half what the West India Committee thought necessary in 1884, the amount of the tax, with a consumption of over a million of tons, would represent an additional tax of two and a half millions, and the actual burden of the tax would probably not be far short of five millions, or the equivalent of an income tax of from 2d. to 3d. in the pound, which would be paid chiefly by the working classes.

"The case against reversing our financial policy by retaliation of any kind, in the case of any article whatever, seems to me to be overwhelming. But that any impartial person should be found willing to reverse it in the case of sugar would be simply astounding."

MOORE PARK POND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The remarks of "J. M." will be endorsed, I am sure, by all who have any knowledge of the condition of the pond, and by the model yachting club. As you are aware, Mr. Editor, was it not for your advocacy in the past, the pond would still be the receptacle for the sewage of Paddington and Waverley, including the barracks. But I must inform "J. M." that the sewage referred to has been almost diverted into the Bourke-street sewer, the drainage into it now is only storm waters, which should also be diverted from the pond. The complaint is caused through the heavy rains during the progress of emptying and filling in to a uniform level, and was it not for the generosity of the fire brigades, who pumped the filthy water out free of charge, the pond would have remained to the present date "a fever-bed of Sydney." "J. M." must not expect the works of the City Corporation to be carried out on anything like business lines until the citizens petition Parliament to, and succeed in, reducing the council to about six aldermen to represent the city entirely, and as far as practicable knock the political element out of the business, and have it conducted on the same principle as the directors of our banks, the A. M. P. Society, or other monetary institutions. Until some such reform is established the citizens must be prepared to submit to the delays in important improvements, losses, and discredit in the conduct of their business which is brought about through the want of proper supervision over the various departments, of which abundant proof has been and will continue to be given. I would defy any mayor, who is supposed to be the executive head during the term of his mayoralty, to effectually supervise the departmental and practical work of this city, and also attend to the nonsensical duties that of late appear to be a part of his work, which to my mind are altogether foreign to his high and important office, and which are somewhat on a par with those of a Minister of the Crown. Could one of our Ministers give his time to entertaining nearly every person in the city and all distinguished persons and representative bodies that arrive in the colony and attend to the duties of his office? Why, any business man will say no. A man can only do one man's work, and if he attempt to do more something is sure to be neglected. My experience of the past is, that the primary wants of the citizens are neglected to carry out the nonsensical displays referred to, and involving the loss of many thousands annually. If we are to have a general entertainer for the city, which is supposed to be necessary to uphold the honour and dignity of the whole colony, let the Government make provision for it, and appoint the person, and let the important business of the city be conducted on something like business principles. The sanitary, financial, and solid condition of a private dwelling should be the first concern. How much more should these rules apply to a city? "J. M." must expect to have many complaints until these matters have the undivided attention of the Mayor. Why should the Mayor's time be taken up attending to the Bulli Fund, and contending with its agitators, the Queen's Fund, the Transit Commission, and acting as treasurer and chairman for every conceivable matter that crops up. It is not fair to a man, and seriously interferes with the working of the Corporation, as I know from my own experience. It is most difficult at times for even an alderman to have a word with the Mayor on most important business affecting the interests of the citizens—his time, for days, being frequently taken up with matters quite foreign to his office. I formed this opinion of the place nine years ago, and am confirmed in it the more I see of it, and should think the citizens generally have arrived at the same conclusion.

Surely the time has fully arrived for some change to be made. I, as a ratepayer and one of your representatives, after long and serious consideration, am positive the remedy is in some such way as I have sketched out.

I am &c., GEORGE WITHERS.

October 7, 1887.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Permit me the privilege (through your columns) of directing the attention of those responsible to the present unsanitary condition of a place of great public resort, which, if not speedily attended to, will during the ensuing months spread disease through the city. I refer to the pond in the vicinity of the Association Cricket Ground.

On Monday last, when passing this spot I observed on one side a drain emptying a very foul deposit; and on the other the floating carcase of a dead dog. As this pond lies right in the track to both cricket grounds, and is a resort for boat-sailing every Saturday afternoon during the summer months, it will be easily understood that in its present neglected condition it will quickly become a source of danger to the public health.

This lagoon has always been in existence, and if situated (as it is) in a public reserve, in the vicinity of any other large city, would ere this have been beautified and made a place of healthful public resort. I am, &c.,

P. F.

Sydney, October 6.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* says:—At Stratford, we are delighted to hear, hippophagy is no longer a pious opinion but a practical business. There is a good and great man in High-street, Stratford, of the name of John Barber, who regularly kills horses and sells their flesh to a hungry public at 11s. to 12s. a hundredweight, or a little less than 1½d. per lb. If the horses are tolerably young and decently well fed, their flesh is far more tasty than the best beef. We congratulate Stratford on its opportunities. We only regret that an ungrateful corporation has summoned this public benefactor to the police-court for not licensing his premises.

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

VICTORIA.

A meeting of the council was held on Tuesday, October 4. Present—the Mayor, and Aldermen M'Mahon, Brainwood, Punch, Smith, Matthews, Waterhouse, Cliff, and Blue. Correspondence.—The following letters were received and read:—From secretary North Shore Ferry Company, declining to consider the establishment of a ferry service at Berry's Bay and Blues Point. From Dr. Ward, calling attention to injury to entrance to his property in Lord-street by the cutting down of the street. Left in hands of mayor. From Mr. A. Fairfax, complaining of want of proper means of access to his property. Referred to improvement committee. From Messrs. Humphreys and Cracknell, pressing a claim for professional services in re scheme for flushing gutters with salt water. An order was made to consider this matter at next meeting. Letters from St. Leonards and East St. Leonards as to offering a premium for best design to improve Lavender Bay Steps. It was decided to offer a premium of £10 10s. for best design. With reference to a petition in re compelling vehicles to carry lights at night, letters were received from adjoining boroughs stating that bylaws had been made on the subject in all save North Willoughby. It was decided to frame a bylaw on the subject, and to so intimate to North Willoughby. From Department of Railways, declining to pay more than half cost (£137 10s.) towards repairing roads injured by construction of tramway. It was decided to accept the sum offered from Captain Pockley in re dangerous hole in his unenclosed land, stating that he had fenced the same in, but that thieves had removed the fencing. Captain Pockley to be informed that he must either fill up the hole or securely fence it, the council suggesting that filling up the hole would be safest and best. From Mr. Cavill, lessee Lavender Bay Baths, requesting improvements in the approaches to said baths. To be acknowledged, and informed that the council were contemplating considerable improvements in the locality, which would embrace all that was required. Two letters from Board of Health *in re* Dairies Supervision Act, drawing attention to want of conformity with requirements of the Act in certain cases. Referred to the inspector for report. From Mr. Thomas Adamson, complaining of encroachment in portion of Mitchell-street. Left in the hands of the mayor. A statement of receipts and expenditure from 1st September to 1st October showed—Total receipts, £794 17s. 7d.; total expenditure, £326 8s. 11d.; balance at bank, £468 8s. 8d. A report from the finance committee recommending payment of sundry accounts amounting to £326 8s. 11d. was adopted, on a motion by Alderman Waterhouse, seconded by Alderman Brainwood. A report from the improvement committee recommending the erection of five extra street lamps to be placed as follows:—One at junction of Eureka and Bank lanes, one Bay View-street, one Susanna-street, one at council-chamber, one corner of Blue and Miller streets—was adopted on motion by Alderman Brainwood, seconded by Alderman M'Mahon. Questions: In answer to questions from Alderman Blue, the Mayor said that the total cost of the wall at Blue's Point was £155 0s. 1d., which exceeded the estimate made by him to the extent of £55 0s. 1d. The excess was accounted for by the deceptive character of the site for foundation. Motions: Moved by Alderman Blue, and seconded by Alderman Brainwood,—"That it be referred to the improvement committee to consider the advisability of erecting an additional lamp in Mitchell-street." Carried. Moved by Alderman Waterhouse, and seconded by Alderman Brainwood,—"That this council having observed that the council of St. Leonards has determined to establish gasworks, desires to ascertain upon what terms it can be permitted to join in the undertaking." Carried. Some tenders were accepted, and the council rose.

PARRAMATTA.

This council held their fortnightly meeting on Wednesday afternoon. The Mayor (Mr. C. J. Byrnes) presided, and there were also present Aldermen John Booth, Cox, Beames, Moxham, Saunders, Drew, Tiernan, and Taylor. The Mayor formally reported that he had deposited the £15,000 loan with the Commercial Bank, who had agreed to allow interest thereon at the rate of 4 per cent. Reports from the water, improvement, and lighting committees read and received at the previous meeting were again read and adopted. A letter was received from the Colonial Secretary's Office, stating that permission had been granted to council to borrow an additional sum of £3000. An application from certain business men, offering to become responsible for half the cost of watering portions of the principal streets, was referred to the improvement committee. The Mayor was authorised to advance from the loan account, as a temporary loan, a sum of £109 11s. 11d., to pay off the balance of a loan due on the 15th instant. In committee the tender of Charles Barker for a supply of 500 tons of blue metal, at 11s. 9d. per ton delivered, was accepted. Several matters were brought under the notice of the Mayor, and the council then rose.

ST. LEONARDS.

The meeting of the St. Leonards Borough Council was held on Tuesday evening. There were present the Mayor (Alderman Jenkins), and Aldermen J. Armstrong, Bell, Cowles, Eaton, and Massey. A communication was received from the Board of Health calling attention to the fact that certain unregistered dairymen and milk vendors were selling milk within the metropolitan police district, and suggesting that immediate proceedings should be taken against all persons so unlawfully trading under the 13th section of the Dairies Supervision Act. It was decided to inform the board that no case of the kind had occurred within the municipality of St. Leonards to the knowledge of the council. A communication was received from the vicar, churchwardens, and attendants at St. Augustine's Church, Neutral Bay, calling attention to the impassable condition of Cooper-street, making the church unapproachable in wet weather, and requesting that the necessary repairs be effected. It was directed that signatories be informed that tenders would be called immediately for the work. Messrs. W. A. Dixon and J. F. Loxton wrote complaining of the grading of M'Laren-street, and suggesting certain alterations in the formation to give better access to Harnett-street. A report from the finance committee, recommending the payment of accounts, amounting to £390 10s. 9d., was received and adopted. The following motions were carried, viz.:—"That this council petition the Government to dedicate all 100ft. reservations in the Harbour of Port Jackson and Middle Harbour for public purposes for ever." "That the Minister of Mines be requested to vest in the council all reserves dedicated for public recreation within the Borough of St. Leonards." The following motion by Alderman Cowles was referred to the works committee, viz.:—"That a sum not exceeding £100 be voted for repairs on Avenue-road, and that the Mayor be authorised to have the most dangerous portions of the road repaired at once." Mr. P. Carberry's tenders were accepted for clearing and stumping Bay-road, Cowles-road, Wyong-road, Ourimbah-road, and Ellalong-road, and for forming and clearing Harbour-street.

HURSTVILLE.

The fortnightly meeting of this council was held on Thursday evening. The Mayor (Alderman Alex. Milsop) occupied the chair. There were present—Aldermen Patrick, Humphrey, A. E. Gannon, Peake, Tidswell, M'Rae, and Howard. The following correspondence was dealt with:—From the Principal Under-Secretary, intimating that his Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, had granted a further time of two months for the making of the assessment. From the secretary, General Post Office, informing the council that the Postmaster-General was unable to sanction the clearance of the Carlton letter-box by the Hurstville officer in consequence of the officer at Kogarah doing it free. From Mr. Charles Cowdery, asking for an interview on the matter of drainage for Hurstville, West Botany, and Kogarah. Moved by Alderman M'Rae, seconded by Alderman Howard, and carried,—"That as soon as the official intimation is received from the Government as regards the unemployed, this council instruct the overseer (Mr. Thompson) to proceed with the work in Gloucester-street." From the manager of the Bank of Australasia, Kogarah branch, enclosing a printed form of guaranty bond for £2000 to be signed by the Mayor and aldermen in their private capacity. It was directed that the letter and bond be received, signed, and returned; but the aldermen thought it unfair to affix their signatures to the bond, and a number refused to sign. The secretary of the Board of Health wrote stating it had been reported that there was a number of unregistered dairies in the district, and asking the council to take the necessary steps. Alderman Tidswell thought it necessary that an inspector should be appointed to visit the dairies and report to the council, and moved,—"That Mr. Edward Tarlington be appointed temporarily as inspector under the Dairies Supervision Act." Carried. Mr. Oswald Scholes, of Alston Park, wrote, enclosing a contribution of £100 towards improvements in the above-mentioned estate. It was resolved to spend the principal and the endowment on it on various streets in Alston Park. Messrs. Staff and Nichol, Jacob Peake, Isaac Peake, and the Penshurst Park Company wrote, acknowledging the council's application, and all consented to dedicate sufficient land to continue the Stoney Creek-road to the Forest-road at Peakhurst, subject to the council erecting a two-rail fence. On this arose a long discussion; and Alderman Howard moved, seconded by Alderman Bibby, and carried, "That the offers be accepted, and thanks be conveyed to them; also that the fences as requested be erected." Alderman M'Rae strongly protested against the council erecting any fence, but that mere dedication be accepted. Accounts amounting to £144 were passed for payment. Alderman Tidswell drew the attention of the council to the fact that the Kogarah municipality was draining Railway-parade on to West Kogarah, and therefore moved, seconded by Alderman Bibby,—"That a letter be written to the Kogarah Council protesting against this being continued," and,—"That this council express its surprise that the works committee of Kogarah should recommend that the sewage be carried into West Kogarah without first referring to the council in the matter." Alderman M'Rae gave notice of his intention to bring on at the next meeting the matter of Queen Victoria-street. The engineer was instructed to take the uniform levels of the whole area, starting from the Hurstville railway station. The council then rose.

WATERLOO.

The fortnightly meeting of the Waterloo Borough Council was held last night. Present: The Mayor (Mr. Wicks-White), and Aldermen Anderson, Navin, Howe, Spicer, and Smith. Correspondence: From Board of Health, in reply to council's enquiry as to interpretation of clause 7 of the Dairies Supervision Act, notifying that a case had been stated for the opinion of the Crown law officers. From Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, consenting to council removing and relaying asphalt path in Kensington Gardens. From Works Department, notifying that council's application re reduction of tram fares to Waterloo to 2d. had been referred to the Commissioner of Railways for report. From residents of Zetland Estate, contradicting a report submitted to council reflecting on the condition of Mr. T. Parker's dairy. Received. From Messrs. Raine and Horne, estate agents, objecting to council's rating of certain blocks of land, and arranging to submit a map, with the view of adjusting the matter. From Board of Health, suggesting proceedings against any persons infringing section 13 of Dairies Supervision Act by keeping unregistered dairies. From the Redfern Council, requesting co-operation with a deputation to the Minister for Works, at noon on the 7th instant, to urge the construction of a railway siding at Eveleigh. The council agreed to co-operate, considering that such siding would particularly facilitate the cartage of wood blocks. A report was received from the inspector of nuisances, showing that the practice of drying old rags in sheds and yards had been discontinued; Mr. Parker's dairy had been improved, but there was an absence of water, and the drainage was bad; the objectionable practice continued of removing manure in the milk cart; butchers' shops and boiling-down establishments were kept as clean as circumstances permitted; a new factory had been established by Messrs. Mulcahy Brothers, in Bourke-street, named the Orient Soap Works; scavengering work in the borough had been well done, but certain shafts on the Redfern boundary caused sewage to fall into the gutters, particularly in Pitt-street; there were no unregistered dairymen in the borough, and with one or two exceptions they did all they could to comply with the Act. The report was adopted. Items of finance amounting to £191 7s. 11d. and park account of £44 15s. 5d. were passed. Alderman Anderson submitted a scale of charges for the use of the Town Hall, and it was ordered to be tabled till next meeting. Alderman Howe drew attention to the dangerous condition of Elizabeth-street, pointing out that, though it was not under the control of the council, it might be desirable to take it over at fair compensation from the Government. It was ultimately decided to send a deputation to the Minister. The Mayor reported that the committee appointed to examine the council's balance-sheet had found that, so far as the ratepayers were concerned, the balance-sheet was correct; the only irregularity arose from defective classification, and there was nothing to affect the honor of the council. The committee had satisfied themselves on that point. With reference to the library, catalogues had been distributed to remind people that there was a public library, but the public did not seem to take an interest in the institution. It was agreed that Alderman Chapman be communicated with in reference to water supply for Zetland Estate.

INSPECTOR OF PUBLIC CHARITIES' REPORT.

Last night there was laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly the annual report of the Inspector of Public Charities (Mr. Hugh Robison) to the Colonial Secretary. The report, which is of a voluminous nature, deals with all the charitable and subsidised institutions within the Departments of the Colonial Secretary and the Minister for Public Instruction. It points out that in making comparisons between the present report and that for the year 1885, in regard to expenditure from the public treasury, it will be necessary to bear in mind that the amount of the grant for technical education, £21,103 10s., was included in the report for 1885, but that the corresponding item does not appear in the present report, as the Technical Education Board has become entirely distinct from the School of Arts, although it avails itself whenever practical of any accommodation they may be willing to place at its disposal. Keeping the above fact in view, the expenditure for 1886 shows an increase of £29,244 10s., occasioned chiefly by grants to country hospitals and asylums, either new or for the purpose of enlargement; also on account of the increased rate for maintenance conceded to the two subsidised metropolitan hospitals. An increase in the amount of contributions for hospital purposes throughout the colony direct from the public is noted of £40,689, as against £35,491 in 1885. Whilst the Government is most generous and constant in its endeavour to aid all forms of distress, a sentiment is alluded to as having become general, that its action tends to destroy the spirit of self-reliance essential to the maintenance of a proper national character, and opinions are held whether a portion of the national funds now expended might not be diverted into channels having for their objects the removal of some of the causes which at present operate in bringing many persons within the charities area. In this view, the framing of regulations controlling the housing of the poor, receiving out-relief, encouragement to a "hospital's insurance fund," and legislation whereby persons possessed of means are required to contribute towards the maintenance of near relatives who otherwise would be dependent on the State, are mentioned as subjects worthy of consideration. On the passing of an Act conveying powers of local government to the several districts of the colony, the expenditure for charitable purposes will probably in great part be raised locally, and so it is likely to be more closely criticised. Under the new system some of the evils at present connected with the distribution of State charities may disappear, consequent on the application of regulations more stringent than any central government has hitherto been inclined to enforce. It is thought that, pending such legislation, the ground might be prepared by the adoption of determinations as to the extent of subsidy claims, which ought to be concurrent with individual or public effort, and cover in each case only an equal amount.

In connection with the asylums for the infirm and destitute it is mentioned that the improvements indicated by the Colonial Secretary as likely to be made in connection with the Government asylums, especially if a distinct pauper asylum hospital possessing a trained nursing staff is to be included, will materially increase the expenditure on these charities. There is room for consideration whether such of the inmates might not be employed with the view of contributing towards the cost of their maintenance. At present most of the inmates pass their time in monotonous idleness. Suitable instruction might be given to many, and the experiment is thought to be worth trial, if only for the principle it establishes—viz., that State assistance does not necessarily lead to any renunciation of obligation for exertion on the part of those accepting it. It is mentioned that the future system of asylums management, both for males and females, especially in relation to better nursing and provision for the treatment of hospital cases, is engaging the active attention of the Colonial Secretary; but it is thought that a much larger rate of cost for maintenance will unfortunately be unavoidable. Regarding the metropolitan hospitals, it is stated that to the close of last year the question as to whether grants would be made for the completion of the new buildings for the Sydney Hospital remained undecided. Under no circumstances would it be possible to erect a hospital on the present site possessing a larger number of beds than are now provided. Convenience of situation, however, suggests the advisability of a hospital being erected on this or some adjacent position for the reception of urgent and accident cases. The Sick Children's Hospital at the Glebe received 55 patients in 1880, when it was opened. Five years afterwards there were 228, and in 1886 they reached 274. It is evident that the hospital at the Glebe cannot be dispensed with, especially in the provision it makes for tedious cases of disease. Active interest on the part of many of the committees of the country hospitals was shown by the addition to their accommodation of separate wards for the isolation of cases of infectious character. During the past year one or two new cottage hospitals were opened, and others are in progress. The Benevolent Asylum, both in its asylum operations and out-relief department, was very fully occupied during the year under review. The medical officer has called attention to the advisability of more suitable provision being made elsewhere for foundlings and motherless infants, as their presence in the lying-in hospital is a disturbing element. In out-relief the society expended very large sums, and applied to the Government for extra aid. If the Government aid were given for the purpose of enabling the society to provide better housing for its clients, some of the objections to outdoor relief would disappear, while its recipients would probably find themselves in a position more favourable for regaining independence, and less likely to be contaminated by abject surroundings. Regarding asylums for the young, with the exception of the industrial schools, the State Children's Relief Board now provides for the supervision of all the children supported by the State so soon as they pass through the Benevolent Asylum, one department of which may be regarded as a Government receiving-house. The Institution for the Deaf, the Dumb, and the Blind is stated to be in a very perfect condition, but remains stationary in numbers, thereby showing that it is capable of meeting the calls made upon it for accommodation. Regarding the Institute for the Industrial Blind, it is stated that the society has proved already its value by establishing the fact that many of the blind are capable of earning sufficient to support themselves in comfort. It may become worthy of consideration whether it would not be advisable to relieve the institution of a portion of the expense of initiatory teaching by establishing a workshop in one of the asylums, from which the workers, after six months' tuition, or on gaining a certain standard of proficiency, might pass, under arrangements with the Government, into the institution, thus saving the State the cost of the future maintenance of many blind inmates otherwise likely to be permanent dependents. The medical officer's report regarding the Infants' Home, Ashfield, draws attention to the generally neglected condition of the children admitted, and his remarks convey the impression that the children suffer because of the vicious lives of their parents. The second part of the report refers to the institutions within the Department of the Minister for Public Instruction, viz., the industrial schools and schools of arts throughout the colony. Of the former, the ship Vernon continues to render very valuable services, and the success of the system has been pronounced satisfactory. Regarding the Female Industrial School, Parramatta, it is stated that at the new institution there is abundance of room, and it will be open to introduce improved methods of training, especially in regard to the proper manner of performing domestic duties, a knowledge of which the girls there have had previously very imperfect opportunities of acquiring. In conclusion, the committee of the Sydney School of Arts report a large augmentation of income at their disposal, which enabled them to spend considerable amounts in the purchase of land required. They were also able to reduce the debt on the institution by the sum of £100, leaving it now at £750. The passing through Parliament of a Act of Incorporation is reported as being regarded by the members with much satisfaction, as providing means for the further growth of the institution.

The GOVERNOR and the CHIEF JUSTICE of WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

The *West Australian* gives the following particulars of the recent dispute between the Governor and the Chief Justice of Western Australia:—

One of the most unfortunate features in Crown colony or *quasi* Crown colony government—in the government of colonies, that is to say, where the appointment of officials rests with the Colonial Office—is the friction which, almost invariably, sooner or later during an administration, arises between persons in high positions, in the maintenance, as they deem it, of the privileges and dignity of their office, and in reliance upon the intervention of a distant authority, which, by its traditional weakness of policy, positively invites these disagreements and quarrels. Our own colony has had its full share during the past 20 years of these lamentable incidents. Amongst them we need only make passing mention of the rupture of personal relations between Governor Hampton and his Colonial Secretary, of the Landor episode under Governor Weld, of the official intrigues under Governor Robinson, and of the disagreements which lately led to the retirement of Mr. Hensman. And now we deeply regret that another official scandal has arisen, graver than any of those which have preceded it—a scandal lamentable in the extreme, involving as it has done what we can but describe as a violent public rupture between the officer administering the Government and his Executive Council on the one hand, and the chief administrator of justice on the other. In Sir Frederick Broome we have a Governor who more than any of his predecessors has sought to advance the interests of the colony, and to work the existing constitution with and by, as well as for, the people, while in Mr. A. C. Onslow we have a Chief Justice who has laid himself out in many ways to promote the social interests of the community, and who possesses rare accomplishments and qualities which have endeared him to many friends.

With the origin of the friction above alluded to we are not concerned; it appears to have grown out of other official disagreements in which the Chief Justice was not personally involved. But the incident immediately under notice was brought about by causes arising indirectly from a difference of opinion as to the obligation of the Chief Justice to advise the Governor with reference to petitions for remission of sentences on prisoners. His Honor held that where the prisoner merely appealed *ad misericordiam* he would be stultifying himself by giving such advice as would virtually be an admission "that he had done wrong" when passing the sentence abbreviation of which was prayed for. We can, however, readily understand that the Governor might in such cases desire advice from the presiding Judge, not as to whether there were reasons, based on the evidence, why he should grant the petition, but as to whether there were special reasons why he should not grant it. However, his Honor refused to advise in *ad misericordiam* appeals, and the matter was referred to the Secretary of State, who, the Chief Justice considered, had, on a previous like occasion, supported the view he maintained. But previous to the receipt of a reply from Downing-street—on the strength, it would seem, of a minute of the Attorney-General, described by the Chief Justice as a "categorical lecture" on his duties—he was again asked to advise upon the same petitions. Neither the request in question, nor the legal point involved, was anything more than indirectly the cause of what subsequently happened. Some weeks passed without interchange of correspondence, but on the 30th August the Private Secretary wrote asking for a return of the prisoners' petitions together with the Chief Justice's remarks upon them, to which note his Honor's associate made answer that before doing so he was awaiting the reply of the Secretary of State to the legal point which had been raised. Thereupon followed an "order" for the delivery of documents "urgently required for use upon her Majesty's service," which order the Chief Justice sent back in a letter addressed to the Secretary of State. Lastly came a formal charge of detaining official papers "although requested and ordered to return them." Upon this the papers were handed over, but with a counter-charge on the part of the Chief Justice, who accused the Governor of harrassing him in a manner calculated to lower and insult both himself and his office, and to degrade the administration of justice in the colony. This accusation was made the subject of a further charge on the part of his Excellency denying its truth, and calling upon his Honor to exculpate himself for making a statement "calculated seriously to prejudice her Majesty's service."

By this time, we take it, both the Executive and the Chief Justice had become unnecessarily heated. The Chief Justice apparently imagined that his suspension was imminent. But although a minute of the Executive had intimated the readiness of that body to advise it if the "charges" were not satisfactorily answered, we have not the slightest doubt that, had nothing further occurred to fan irritation, moderate counsels would have prevailed. At this stage, however, his Honor was unfortunately led into an act which we cannot too deeply deplore. Without waiting to ascertain whether the Governor proposed to take further action, setting at naught some of the most sacred rules of the service, the Chief Justice took the metropolitan newspapers into his counsels, and authorised the publication of communications of a character which never, except in the case of a public inquiry, leave the secret drawers of officialdom. And, serious as was the error of giving to the public the text of charges made against one another by the two highest officers of the local State, the indiscretion was still further aggravated by the co-publication of a despatch to the Secretary of State, by means of which his Honor actually informed the people of this colony that he—the chief administrator of justice amongst them—had asked Sir Henry Holland to consider whether the head of their Government, under whom, as a Civil servant, he held office, was "a man in whose hands may safely be trusted the very large powers which are vested in the Governor of a colony." The extreme gravity of such a public act was so manifest, so positively startling, that, although it was with great regret, it was hardly with surprise that we heard it had been immediately followed on the part of his Excellency the Governor with one equally grave—the interdiction of the Chief Justice from the further exercise of his judicial functions. This is the present position—a position infinitely to be deplored.

The latest stage into which this most distracting affair has passed is that the Chief Justice is to return to England at his earliest convenience, in order, we may assume, to set his case in person as fully and as favourably as he can before the Colonial Office. The Governor meanwhile is to report at length. On the application of his Honor for leave of absence the interdict is at once to terminate. The Governor has the undoubted advantage of proceeding against an opponent, as it were, by way of despatch. Under the Colonial Office Regulations, all statements made by any officer of the service have to be transmitted through the Governor of the colony, who may in his report insert what remarks and explanations he pleases. But this superior vantage ground will be fully counterbalanced in the present instance. In the battle before Sir Henry Holland it will be impossible for either party to allege that he has been taken at a disadvantage.

THE EXHIBITION AWARDS.

On Friday last the *South Australian Register* commented upon the dissatisfaction expressed respecting the method of judging the exhibits in the Adelaide Jubilee Exhibition, and the discontent to which some of the announced awards had given rise. The same journal, in speaking on the subject on Tuesday, says:—What has occurred since the publication of the article in question has tended to confirm our suggestion that "the work of preparing everything for the jurors, including an exhaustive list of the articles that they are required to adjudicate upon, is much more arduous and delicate than the Exhibition authorities seem to have imagined it to be." We make every allowance for the very great difficulties which have beset the Superintendent of Jurors and Awards, especially in the absence of a proper catalogue (apart from the catalogues issued by New South Wales and Victoria), but there is undoubted evidence of a lack of method. It is clear that some of the plainest rules have been departed from. One of the conditions of the "system of awards" is that "no exhibitor, or his agent, shall be a judge in any class in which he exhibits." The awards made by Jury 10 disclose the fact that three of the six jurors were exhibitors in the class, and that each of these three jurors received an award. This is a state of things which cannot be regarded as satisfactory. Then it is indisputable that articles of one class have been adjudicated upon by different juries. Ethnological collections, for example, have, it will be found, been judged under "Armaments" by Jury 10, under "Pomology" by Jury 34, and under "Ready-made Clothing" by Jury 8. This remarkable diversity of adjudication was even improved on in the case of "garden implements," to wit, pumps and syringes, for they were judged by Jury 24, which had charge of "Machinery, Motors, &c.;" by Jury 5, which had charge of "Household Furniture;" by Jury 33, which had charge of "Agricultural Machinery;" by Jury 34, which had charge of "Pomology." Herbarium specimens have been indifferently dealt with as "Forestry" by Jury 25, as "Pomology" by Jury 34, and as "Educational Appliances" by Jury 14. Wood engravings, electrotypes, and papier-maché matrices have been judged by "Sewing-Machines" Jury 23, and this jury divided the task of judging washing-machines with the "Household Furniture" Jury, 5, the latter adjudicating upon granite monuments, dolls, and leatherwork frames, the last articles having been also judged by the "Ready-made Clothing" Jury, 8. It is unnecessary to multiply instances of this kind; but it is undeniable that the element of haphazard has played a larger part in the judging than is at all desirable. Another matter which has occasioned some comment is the fact that the Superintendent of Awards is also a member of the juries and awards and executive committees. It would have been better had he been untrammelled by other duties than those attaching to the first-named very onerous position. Experience has also shown that it would have been better had Sir Samuel Davenport not occupied the dual office of Executive Commissioner for this colony and executive representative of the promoters. We shall not at present discuss the action of the Executive Committee in voting awards without any examination by juries. Perhaps the matter had not been clearly stated. It is to be hoped, finally, that where practicable, protests will be relegated rather to experts than to committees, as such a course is more likely to give satisfaction to those interested. It is not surprising that there should be in connection with the awards some complaints—it is the case at all exhibitions—but none the less is it the duty of those in authority to see that the grounds of complaint are reduced to a minimum.

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AS YOU LIKE IT.

"Ay, marry, now unmuzzle your wisdom."—ROSALIND.

Those of us who know what the intellectual, social, and physical functions of the Speakership mean were never very sanguine in predicting much success for Mr. Young. The fact is, he had to follow a Speaker who—whatever allowance may have to be made for his mistakes, if they were mistakes—was a particularly hard man to succeed. I have on several occasions in this column tried to say what the office of Speaker implies, and will not, therefore, now repeat those efforts. But the office implies more than Mr. Young can bring to its proper exercise. In saying this, no more is said than might be said of the entire Assembly, less, perhaps, about half-a-dozen members of it. I for one go so far as to think that a Speaker, like a Poet, must be born, not manufactured. And the worst of the matter is, that the more we get accustomed to our Parliamentary business, the Speaker's collar becomes not the less, but the more galling. Mr. Young has been exhorted to resign an office which he himself (to say nothing of his friends) must be sorry that the fates ever threw into his path as a stumbling-block. If one could mark down a better man in the present Assembly for his successor, I, for one, should join in beseeching Mr. Young to relinquish a thankless and an overpowering office. But who are the better men?

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Comparison with Mr. Barton is, of course, out of the question. I say this deliberately and sorrowfully. But who is there to succeed Mr. Young. Mr. Reid, in my opinion, is far and away the ablest of the possible men; but Mr. Reid, we know, will not shelve himself. Then there is Mr. W. J. Foster, who would make a far better speaker than a Judge of the Supreme Court. He also "takes miss," not being more anxious to shelve himself than Mr. Reid. Mr. Want would be an excellent Speaker; but what chance is there of his accepting such an office? Mr. R. B. Smith has been mentioned for the office, but would he take it? Mr. Trickett would, in my opinion, make a good Speaker; but, there you are again, would Mr. Trickett put £1500 a-year as compensation for health wrecked, business wrecked, temper wrecked, happiness and independence gone to the dogs, in the other scale? The fact is, in this money-grubbing world of ours, money is the compensation for great energy, and the only one. We all call ourselves "patriots," and prove our right to the name by passing on such exacting offices as the Speakership of the Assembly. Now, suppose we put the Speaker on the same pecuniary pedestal as a puisne Judge (a £2600 or £3000 a-year pedestal to wit), what then? I think it could be done without any expense to the country. The office of President of the Legislative Council is a pleasant sinecure, with a salary annexed to its enjoyment nearly equal to the Speaker's salary. Suppose we knock off that salary, and attach it to the Speakership? Or, as I suggested many months ago, let Sir John Hay take the chair of the Assembly and preside over the conscript fathers too. Sir John, at all events, knows his business, and his only trouble is that in his present position he has not enough business to keep his hand in. Intellectually, and in every other respect, he would be an admirable Speaker.

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"No Judge in the land," quoth Mr. Dibbs, "is superior to the Court of Parliament. This is the highest Court of appeal. We have a right to discuss the conduct of Judges." This sort of talk is very well, though it is full of blunders. No one objects to discussion where there is a decent pretence of anything worthy of the name. There is never any question of the Parliamentary right of calling people to order upon deliberate discussion or in the way of honest condemnation. What is objected to is scurrilous extempore abuse. I do not now speak of the language of Mr. Fraser Martin, who was generous enough in admitting that he had spoken unadvisedly with his lips. When a member is manly enough to make such a confession we are inclined to regard him with more favour than if he had not gone astray, and certainly to prefer him to the ninety and nine who seem to think that they were returned to Parliament to do the business of screech-owls. If it were possible that such observations as those which fell from Mr. Melville could come from anyone else, they might have been deeply painful to the Judges. Coming from the quarter they did come from, the Bench will probably rejoice that Mr. Melville did not insult them by his praise. But, though otherwise unworthy of notice, they show what members of Parliament may do, and what some think themselves entitled to do. They believe that because, perhaps, two or three hundred yokels choose to send them to Parliament, they are to be permitted to shelter themselves under their "privilege" and slander people whose boots they are not fit to blacken, whatever they may seek to do with their names. Nobody is safe from them; and, if the public are once made aware that Parliamentary privilege is being made a hedge from behind which any cowardly ruffian may shoot at innocent and harmless men, they will begin to consider whether Parliamentary privilege ought not to be very materially limited. I come to this conclusion regretfully; for I have ceased to hope that some constituencies will awake to the fact that they are being disgraced in the persons of their present representatives, or deprive the latter of powers which they possess only to abuse.

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Sir Henry Parkes having turned his attention to the founders and defenders of British liberty, might now with advantage tell us something about a class which, of late years, has become pretty numerous. I mean the destroyers or would-be destroyers of the same. Here, for instance, is Mr. Schey, who wants to prevent us from working more than eight hours in the day, and who, I presume, would not allow anybody to be paid for a day's work of six or seven hours. The principle of the resolution is hardly worth discussing, because it is manifestly a piece of sheer tyranny which the lazy part of the population wishes to impose upon the industrious. The simple meaning of it appears to be that those who don't like hard work object to getting less than those who do. At the same time, like the labourers in the parable, they don't like to see men who have worked a shorter time than themselves receive an equal amount of pay. We have heard a good deal of late about the tyranny of capital, but now we see indications of a possible tyranny on the part of labour, which is far more considerable, because there is no competition to restrain it. We talk of the hard case of those who lived, and of those who still live, under an autocracy; but Parliament threatens to become a far greater tyrant than the emperors and kings whom in this "free" country we abuse and affect to despise. There is another aspect of Mr. Schey's resolution which is worthy of remark. The other day we had a public holiday and procession. We all threw up our hats and cheered at the success of the eight-hours movement. Are we to conclude that this festival was a hollow sham, and that the eight-hours system is a failure? Have all the efforts of all the trades-unions ended in producing a broken-backed custom which must collapse altogether if it be not supported by the indispensable Act of Parliament?

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On the same evening that saw the remarkable resolution of Mr. Schey, Mr. J. S. Farnell came forward with a kindred proposal, in so far as it seeks to find the usual adjustment of all social troubles at the hands of the Legislature. If seduction be made criminal Mr. Farnell seems to think there will be no more seduction. In the same way some persons have believed that by prohibiting the sale of drink we could make everybody sober; others that we could abolish poverty and give everybody a comfortable house by Act of Parliament; and a large class still thinks that it is in the power of the two Houses to restore activity to trade, increase public confidence, create capital, and, I suppose, oblige the rain to fall from heaven at the proper periods of the year. I don't want to consider the difficulties of Mr. Farnell's scheme, for at the outset it is sufficiently obvious that the power which it gives would only be used by those who would have a difficulty in proving their previous good character. The genuine victims, poor souls, are only too anxious to hide their shame; not to stand up and proclaim it from the witness-box. I leave out of account the fact that Mr. Farnell proposes to deliver over male humanity to wholesale extortion by means of trumped-up accusations. I prefer to take the more general view which applies to a much larger class of laws which are often advocated. Are we moving in the right direction when we relieve parents of their duty of teaching purity and self-reliance, telling them that the State is going to look after the morals of everybody? What sort of nation should we be in a few years if our young people are to be brought up in a moral hot-house, kept warm by the Government and departmental regulations? Everybody knows that muscles which are deprived of any necessity for exertion dwindle gradually. Faculties which are never used are in the course of a few generations actually destroyed. And the case of our moral does not differ from that of our physical nature. Mr. Farnell and legislators of his school seek to produce a race of flabby, moral *medusidæ*, fit only to drift about and sting. Would it not be better to leave law alone, and try to get people to learn that science teaches to-day what the Bible told us long ago, "The soul that sinneth it shall die," and to act accordingly?

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At the annual meeting of the City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen benefactors and well-wishers held on Monday afternoon, our peripanpepaidumenous Primate delivered himself of some very excellent doctrine touching the claims which that admirable institution has both on the statesman who is charitable with other people's money, and the alms-giving public who have to indulge in charitable yearnings at their own expense. Mr. Salomons, to his honour, preferred the rôle of private benefactor, and his charity was in inverse proportion to his speech, as charity always ought to be, but very rarely is. With a few "Salomonian" gifts, the Soup Kitchen's debt of £350 would instantly disappear. But to return to the Primate, who thus expatiated on giving money to the people in the streets: "It would be better for them, instead of doing this, to take their money down to Darling Harbour and throw it into the water, for then, unless it fell on someone's head, it would hurt no one." Dr. Barry had already given it as his opinion that money given in charity to street mendicants was spent in drink, and became, thereby, the means of increasing destitution instead of removing it. My Lord (thought I aloud), on reading this authoritative statement of the case, "are you not straining the quality of mercy, and exaggerating the effects of unorganised almsgiving? Is there no word to be said on behalf of the undiscriminating impulse which compels even the most scientific among us sometimes to forget all about the Charity Organisation Society, and to be guilty of dropping sixpence into the hat of some blind or crippled beggar furtively asking us for alms?"

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I am afraid that in the matter of organised charity I am a good deal behind the times. To put one's little doles into a general fund to be dispensed by experts after police investigations and an instructive report on the merits of each case, is no doubt an immense improvement on the haphazard generosity of former times, but somehow I have never been converted to the principle of putting one's charitable emotions into commission, and sucking comfort accumulated at compound interest out of an annual report. I know it is wrong of me to be a heretic in this matter, but so it is. But let me see. Surely there must be the example of an occasional good Christian to keep me in countenance, were it ever so little. Not to go to the author of the Christian dispensation Himself—for He was not in the habit of carrying money about—let us appeal to the Good Samaritan. He might have been badly sold by that man who fell among the thieves; and the Levite who passed by on the other side evidently fought shy of him as a possible impostor; but we all know what he did, and in direct opposition to the canons of organised charity. The next example that occurs to me is that dear old hero Samuel Johnson. He was taking Baretti (the man who was afterwards tried at the Old Bailey for murder) to a tavern to dine with him one afternoon, when a plausible foreign beggar asked him for charity, and bang went not "saxpence," but half-a-guinea, the only coin he had in his pocket. And the invited guest had to pay the score both for himself and his host. It was Johnson's last half-guinea, and he squandered it in what I suppose we ought to call the most reckless, disorganised, insane act of charity recorded during that century. But do we despise him for that act, my Lord Primate?

T. J.

THE CENTENNIAL PARK.

Matters have so far progressed at the Centennial Park that "progress" can be reported in regard to the work there. The ground comprises an area of upwards of 700 acres. It is proposed that the State House shall be erected on a site fronting the Paddington-road, on the higher ground overlooking the Lachlan Swamp, and with a fine view extending to Botany Bay and beyond. The work of clearing the land was commenced early in August, and the stumping has now been practically finished, the whole having been done under the direction of Mr. C. Moore, the director of the Botanical Gardens. At first the ground was let out by contract for clearing, but subsequently it was found more convenient to engage men at day wages. For nearly six weeks about 400 men were employed. At present there are some 300 at work. Half are levelling the ground and making various roads, whilst the others are employed in the construction of the main drive. These latter are under Mr. Greenwood, who has a contract for the work, which he is doing under the supervision of Mr. Bennett, Commissioner for Roads. The ground has now been properly surveyed by Mr. Deering, Government district surveyor, the boundaries having been marked on a plan showing the division between the ground proper and that to be sold for building purposes. No plan in detail has, however, yet been prepared; and, indeed, to a great extent the place is being laid out according to ideas fixed upon as the work is got on with. The formation of the drive is rapidly being proceeded with. The drive itself will necessarily be a well maccadamised road; the pathway for pedestrians alongside will be asphalted; and the "ride," which is also being provided, will consist of a mixture of bog, earth, clay, and grass. The peat will be obtained in a large measure from the swamp near the Randwick end, which will enlarge the area of the water there. Whilst the main approach to the Park will be from Cleveland-street, Redfern, to the Busby Bore, a second entrance, which is now nearly formed, fronts the Paddington tramway terminus. The walk from this, which is a quarter of a mile in length, passes through solid rock, and an immense amount of labour has already been, and will have to be continued to be, bestowed upon it before it is completed. On both sides of this pathway rough rocks are to be found. There is little, if any, soil, and a very large amount of labour and material will be called for before this part of the place presents anything like a decent appearance. From the reservoir at Ocean-street, extending on to Waverley and Randwick, and to Busby's Bore, the ground is nearly all sand. The more elevated parts of the park are sand and rock combined; whilst the highest point, where it is proposed to erect the State-house, is nothing but hard solid rock, and considerable ingenuity will have to be exercised by Mr. Moore to make it presentable. The lower part of the ground is to nearly two-thirds of its extent covered with water. It is impossible to say as yet what will be done with this. There is far more water there now than has been seen for a long time, owing, of course, to the late very wet season. It will, it is thought from investigations that have been made, be impossible to retain it, or form it into ornamental lakes, because the banks which hold it are simply of sand, through which it drains, and there is great difficulty in finding any bottom. A good deal of the land in various parts is being ploughed and prepared for being grassed—altogether from 8 to 10 acres. All sorts of grasses are being tried, but the chief reliance is being placed on couch grass, prarie grass, perennial grass, rye grass, and clover. From the Paddington entrance to the reservoir in Ocean-street it is proposed to make a circular drive, which will give an excellent view of the whole of the park, but the ground here is so irregular and rocky that this can be done only at enormous expense. A great deal of water gathers, but the place is being well drained. It is intended that the surface water shall pass through an open drain, well turfed, instead of through pipes sunk in the ground. Round the outside of the park proper, there will be constructed a road 66ft. wide, and along the margin there will be an enclosing ornamental iron fence, the villa and other sites for sale being on the outside of the boundary. The ground being of such a rough nature, a good deal of attention is required to put it into anything like order. Considering the short time the men have been employed, rapid progress has certainly been made. In former times the place had been quarried in different parts, and these excavations had to be filled in, but good stone will be obtainable on the spot for the purpose of macadamising the roads. The men are now hard at work in different gangs at various spots. A good deal of carting is being done; and whilst the ground is being lowered at one place it is necessary to raise it, or form embankments in other parts. A good deal of blasting has to be done.

THE EIGHT HOUR SYSTEM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. Slee's letter in this morning's issue of your paper puts me in mind of the proverb "*Le Roi s'amuse.*" Men who in more prosperous times, by dint of diligence, have been able to "crown a youth of labour with an age of ease" seem to think the same chances are open to all who are industrious enough, altogether forgetful of the fact that "'tis not always May" in the industrial as in the world of nature. There are, I am convinced, in this colony thousands who would be glad of work in any form or quantity, but who simply cannot get it. During the few years I have been here I have had more enforced idleness from the above cause than I ever had in my life; in short, I have had more in the brief space of four months than I had in 30 years in the old land. Will Mr. Slee kindly suggest some way of improving the above deplorable state of affairs?

I am, &c.,
A WORKING MAN.

AT A LAND SALE.

BY VAURIEN.

It is Saturday afternoon, and arm-in-arm with his wife, while his children gambol in front, the world is out of doors. Between the harbour Heads the pleasant east wind blows merrily, now lagging as if to inspect some wooded point that had not previously attracted its attention; now, the examination over, flying breezily west, as if bent on reaching the Blue Mountains before sundown, and enjoying a noisy riot among the gorges. There are military sports at Moore Park, where fierce-looking men, mounted on champing steeds, ride recklessly at wooden or rag Turks' heads fixed on poles, and cleave the infidels to the stick chine with cruel vindictiveness. Other mighty men of valour are there too—stalwart soldiers and dauntless sailormen—who appear anxious to forget for awhile the grim trade of war and devote their attention to floundering through ditches or wriggling through barrels in the obstacle race. Here it may be as well to mention incidentally that the person who invented the obstacle race was no patriot. No person looks to advantage when entering a barrel or when emerging from one. Even when half-way through, the position is undignified, the attitude unbecoming. The man whom a hogshead would become still remains undiscovered. Especially is this the case when both ends are out and the inside covered with many-coloured powders. If there is any more melancholy sight than that of a professional warrior—one on whom his country relies in the hour of need—entering a cask white and coming out black, with a light green border and red fringe, it has, so far, been kept in the back-ground. Then, there are the aquariums at Manly and at Bondi, where, for a trifle, you can examine at leisure the drollest and uncanniest creatures. The Zoological Gardens, again, where you and your wife can like to listen waltzes of Strauss, and hear your bairns on the elephant yonder shriek with laughter as the huge brute wobbles home. For me, however, these varied attractions possess no interest to-day. Tall grenadier and lithe lancer may slip through puncheon or transfix Paynims; unsightly things may crawl along sandy bottoms, or glare from beds of matted seaweed for aught I care. The fact is, there is a land sale up Parramattawards. Jutting into the river is a peninsula that, covered with bush to-day, will be covered with buildings a year or two hence. It has been surveyed, divided into allotments, and the latter are to come this afternoon under the auctioneer's inexorable hammer. It is sweet, no doubt, to die for your country—at least people who have made up their minds to die in their beds, tell us so. It is a significant fact that when any particularly objectionable method of living or dying presents itself, the people loudest in its praise are the precise ones who can be relied on not to adopt it. When a Parliamentary candidate on the eve of an election, for instance, is visibly affected while dwelling on the dignity of hard labour, the odds are entirely in favour of his never having done a day's work in his life, and of his entertaining something akin to contempt for those who have. But, whether *dulce et decorum est*, &c., is pleasant or not, it is certainly pleasant to have a piece of land to die for: still more jocund is it to have a plot or allotment worth living for—*i.e.*, one whose value increases in geometrical progression as the years roll by, as your hair becomes thinner, your step less elastic, and your neighbours' greeting, "How young you look," more frequent. It is this desire to possess a corner they can call their own that induces so many citizens of both sexes and all ages to bend their steps towards the King-street wharf this bright Saturday afternoon and throng the steamers going west.

The number of middle-aged and even old people on board is remarkable. Why persons who, in the ordinary course of nature, cannot expect more than a brief sojourn on this rapidly-spinning ball, should be solicitous to secure the fee-simple of a microscopical portion of it, instead of striving for a wide domain in that better land just beginning to peep above their horizon, is marvellous. "When do women cease to love?" demanded Louis le Grand of a mature maiden of 80. "Sire," responded the damsel, "ask someone older than I." The same answer would probably be given by the bald, bowed, palsied old man on the poop above, if asked when men cease to love houses and lands, water frontages, and hereditaments. "I cannot part with that," hoarsely whispered the sick miser, referring to a favourite field. Then he died. But away with this sententiousness. Sermons are admirable in their proper place, but that place is not aboard a steamer bound for a land sale, with a spanking breeze behind, a mottled sky overhead, and all around innumerable evidences of a young and vigorous community. That is Cockatoo Island, with the Wolverene and the Vernon lying close inshore. The latter's juvenile waifs and outcasts are busy tumbling, racing, sprawling, roundering, and shrieking in dissonant lightheartedness on a neighbouring flat. What a contrast to the iron rule of other days, when the same island harboured the mature outcasts of distant lands, and saw their exuberance corrected with no gentle hand!

There is a stone sentry-box just above high water. Its open doorway is so narrow that many Sydney Volunteers of to-day would return soaking to the guard-house if a smart shower overtook them when on duty at that particular post. Before it must have paced at one time a warrior in red swallow-tailed coat and buff knee-breeches, who had sworn life-long allegiance to King George III., his heirs, and successors. The slim sentinel—to place a stout one there would have been heartless mockery—with his ponderous old flint musket, and eccentric hat, has long since looked his last adown the rippling waters, long since joined the interminable caravan where captain and private, warder and prisoner, meet on equal terms. For all the life that was to be seen aboard the Wolverene she might just as well have been a painted ship upon a painted ocean. This unfortunate craft is probably the best abused vessel afloat. Comic artists have depicted her moored to a tree, or helplessly endeavouring to ride out a three-knot gale. Comic writers, these Ishmaels of society, whose eocene waggery has turned this gladsome world into a vale of tears, have pointed the whole armoury of their wicked wit on the doomed ship. Still she keeps afloat, just as stanchly and saucily as when Old England's lion banner flew from her mizzen, and the boatswain's rude bellow to "show a leg or a purser's stocking" reverberated through her hatches. Bearded mariners, whose lives have been one long struggle with the treacherous shoals of Middle Harbour and the turbulent waters of Mossman's Bay, have long ago given up the conundrum—how comes it that the Wolverene continues on the surface when her proper place is below?

We arrive and land. The auctioneer follows and entrenches himself in a cart. He is a dark, middle-aged man, with well-cut features, expansive waistcoat, and slightly baggy pantaloons, into which a sedentary habit has necessitated the insinuation of a comprehensive area of foreign material. His manners are more dignified and less jocose than those of his craft who, from modest shops in George-street, call the attention of passers-by to the bargains to be had inside. He does not lend himself to the light raillery and transparent subterfuges by means of which the George-street men while away the time when four-bladed knives are going off slowly, and every one in the audience appears in possession of a diamond pin and a painting by one of the old masters. It will be remembered that in the marts to which we allude the vendor, on observing a lull in the demand for silk handkerchiefs at 6d. each, or socks at three pair a shilling, thinks it time to arouse public interest by means of tricks with cards, or recitals of personal adventures, in which he participated with the Duke of Cambridge or the late General Grant. The land-sale auctioneer is above such adventitious aids to business. His line is a big one, and he is becomingly decorous. Having stated the conditions of sale, he expresses his honest conviction that if any foot of ground is started under £5, it is because the person commencing with a lower figure is not quite respectable, has evidently come out for a little mild relaxation, probably thinks himself facetious, and would be much better employed at the Moore Park sack race, or even as a subordinate in a travelling circus. "And now, gentlemen, what shall we say, at per foot, for this choice allotment with a water frontage of a hundred feet and a right-of-way 10 yards wide at the back? Bear in mind, an opportunity like this occurs but once in a lifetime."

"Twenty-two-and-six," said a decent-looking man from his place near the tail-board.

It was clear the bid reached him, for a cynical smile played for a moment round the corners of his mouth. Still, the auctioneer pretended not to hear, but, with eyes fixed on the rapidly-declining sun, severely observed—"And now, gentlemen, what shall we say?"

"Twenty-two-and-six," yelled the imperturbable bidder, coming round to the horse's head, and assuming a conspicuousness it would be folly to ignore.

"Twenty-two-and-six," said the official in the morbid, hopeless manner occasionally used by men in presence of a great sorrow. Then he brightened up as if determined not to betray too much feeling—resolved to see the thing through to the bitter end, and not go down before the first blow—and mechanically remarked—"Twenty-two-and-six," any advance on twen——"?

"Twenty-five" came from an observant person at the outskirts. The crowd began to thaw. The settled melancholy of the auctioneer gave place to an expression of hopefulness. It was clear that his cynicism was not natural—that it was forced upon him by his profession, by his daily contact with the least lovely side of human nature. There are professions of that kind, and the auctioneer's is one. No young man who unfortunately happens to have a leaning towards this calling should think of embracing it until he had attended numerous sales and observed the trials to which a trusting disposition has to be subjected. The bidding now went briskly forward until the plot was knocked down at fifty shillings. A few more frontages went for something like the same figure, which was so much below anticipations that, after a short consultation with the vendor's agent, the auctioneer broke fresh ground with:—"Gentlemen, I placed myself trustfully in your hands, but I have been deceived. It is not a pleasant thing to be obliged to say to a body of apparently well-meaning people (this with bitterness), but there's no use blinking the fact; you have deceived me. It is not for me to say what brought some of those I see around to visit the ground to-day. It may be they expected to secure a piece of valuable property for the asking, and it may be they came by mistake. To those, if any such are present, and, mind you, I don't say there are, I would suggest in all friendliness that this is no place of amusement, but a place where industrious men may provide for their families and lay out their savings to the best advantage. It must be clear to all of you that before two years every foot of water frontage sold to-day will be worth from twelve to fifteen pounds. I shall, therefore, start each sale by bidding three pounds for the vendors. You see I placed myself in your hands, but I can no longer trust you." This severe rebuke was received with equanimity punctuated with hilarity. The latter was not of a demonstrative kind, consisting mostly of cases of grinning faces dotted here and there in a desert of impassiveness. Then the sale was resumed, but, after a short trial under the new conditions, another conversation with the principals led to the omission of the three-pound start. Some of the more favoured sites reached £4, £5, and even £6 a-foot—quite enough, everything considered. Some of the lots were fan-shaped, the convex ends turned seawards and the handles inland. In these the land and the water frontages were added, and the sum divided by two, which gave the mean. It was by taking notice of this fact that a few of the more knowing buyers secured fine sea-boundaries for considerably less than £3 a-foot. With the practice of selling the land right down to high-water mark it is not my province to deal. It appears a suicidal one, as those know who, on looking from a boat for some romantic nook in which to escape from a blazing sun, see "trespassers will be prosecuted" staring at them from a gaunt placard fixed in a bosky dell. If ever there was an inlet whose wooded or rocky margins sent up the perpetual cry, "Do not let us fall into private hands," that inlet is Port Jackson.

Land sales near Sydney are not what they were. Their glory has departed, their attractions vanished. Time was when the prosaic bidding of the few was relieved of its sordid surroundings by the gaiety and laughter, the music and the revelry, of the many. This was when free lunches were in vogue, when bidding and beer went hand-in-hand, and the person nearest to the cask could afford to smile at him nearest the auctioneer. Intending purchasers bring their own lunches now, and the selfish, isolated groups guzzling under the gums are a pitiable travesty on the generous open-handedness of the brave days of old. I may be mistaken, but if fifty pounds spent in good victuals and drink would not have enriched the vendors by five hundred, then is my knowledge of human nature superficial and awry.

Far more interesting than bidding at a land sale is to observe the people who do, also those who do not. These two classes will be found to comprehend most of those present. There are persons who haunt these auctions much as men hover round civil and criminal courts of justice till their presence is demanded before the last and greatest court from which appeal there is none. Any judge or magistrate will tell you that, year in year out, he can see on the front seats the same faces, growing older, like his own, as the seasons roll. Remove them from the atmosphere of a court and you deprive them of life, or, which is much the same, of all that makes life bearable. So it was with public executions. When such gruesome exhibitions were common, men would keep on the tramp all the year round to attend them. So it is with sales, particularly of land. See that person yonder—the tall one with the white hat half-concealed with a black band, the primeval frock-coat, congested umbrella, and abnormally-stinted pantaloons? Singular, by the way, how men of unusual attenuation, and unconventional feet, manage to reside permanently in trousers designed for dwarfs. Well, what business has he here? You can see he is either in the variety show line, or else a book agent—a person who slides into your hall and has your name down for a copy of the "Australian Picture Gallery" before you've sufficiently recovered from your surprise to pitch him out. He bid! Does he look like one who has an eye fixed on real estate? Two things are the objects of his special contempt—a piece of land, and the person who holds it. The steamer's whistle is blowing lustily—the auctioneer has left his rostrum, and is chatting good-humouredly with the person who so wantonly insulted him with "twenty-two-and-six" a couple of hours ago. Let us leave the new suburb in its loneliness. Should you happen to voyage up the Parramatta River in a couple of years, you will probably find trim houses and noisy children where now is the forest primeval.

RAILWAY FROM MUSWELLBROOK TO CASSILIS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MUSWELLBROOK, FRIDAY.

A public meeting, convened by the Mayor, was held at the School of Arts last night in connection with the Cassilis railway and its extension to Walgett. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a large attendance of townspeople. Mr. S. J. Dowell (Mayor) occupied the chair. Speeches were delivered by Messrs. Fitzgerald, M.L.A., Humphries, Ciendinning, E. Brecht, W. Brecht, Bussell, Sutherland, Bowman, and Spencer, and the following resolutions were unanimously and enthusiastically carried:—First. "That this meeting is of opinion that the construction of the railway from Muswellbrook to Cassilis should be proceeded with immediately." Second. "That the Government be urged to proceed as soon as possible with the trial surveys of a railway line from Cassilis to Walgett." Third. "That a league be now formed to be called the Muswellbrook to Cassilis and Walgett Railway League, to act in conjunction with the leagues already established at Denman, Merriwa, Cassilis, &c." Fourth. "That a deputation, to consist of Messrs. S. J. Dowell, M. Campbell, E. Bowman, W. Clendining, and E. C. Brecht, together with the delegates from Denman, Merriwa, Cassilis, Coolah, and Coonabarabran, be appointed to wait upon the Minister for Works, with a view to give effect to the first two resolutions, and that the members for the Upper Hunter be requested to introduce and assist the deputation." The absence of Mr. M'Elhone, who passed through to Sydney by mail, and was waited on by the mayor, was severely commented on by one of the speakers, who expressed a hope that the attitude of our senior member towards this railway would be recollected and resented by his western constituents at the next election. A league was then formed, 30 of those present giving in their names. Mr. P. J. Foley, as secretary, was instructed to communicate with the several leagues between here and Walgett, and to arrange for an interview with the Minister, on Friday next, 14th instant, at which the whole of the townships directly interested will be represented. The mayors of Newcastle and West Maitland will be invited to accompany the deputation. The matter is causing considerable interest, and the townspeople are determined to insist on the claim for extension from here to Walgett being fully investigated.

Lord Tennyson has addressed the following communication to a gentleman who inquired from him whether he did not consider that a measure of Home Rule for Ireland, such as that proposed by Mr. Gladstone, would lead to separation and to disaster between the two countries:—"Aldworth, Haslemere, Surrey, August 15. Lord Tennyson thinks that the closer the union between every part of the Empire the better."

HOUSEWIVES BEWARE!—Anything of a medicated character associated with Cocoa at once proclaims its impurity. Ask for Cadbury's and see you get it.—[ADVT.]

THE CENTENNIAL PARK.

BY VIATOR.

Under the busy hands of hundreds of workmen the Lachlan Water Reserve is fast losing its aspect of primitive wildness in the process of its conversion into the Centennial Park. The best thing by a very long distance the present Government has taken in hand is this work. Setting aside its immediate effect of absorbing a large proportion of the unemployed residuum of the population of Sydney, the formation of a large and beautiful park within such a short distance of the metropolis, and so easy of access to the public, is a distinct boon. No large city can have too many of these "lungs," in which the people can draw large breaths of pure, ambrosial air. Without them any great centre of population is incomplete and unhealthy. Sydney is tolerably well supplied in this respect; but not so well as it should be, so that the creation of another ample park is neither untimely nor superfluous. It may be that the advantage of such a park, viewed from an æsthetic and sanitary point of view, will more than equal the louder-sounding, but more ephemeral, triumphs of an international exhibition. The latter would soon pass away, but the park will be always with us; and a truly noble park will the water reserve form when finished according to the ideas of Mr. Moore, the skilled director of the alterations. There must be nearly a thousand acres of land included in the reserve. At present most of this is covered with scrub of various kinds, some of them blooming with the glorious bush flowers which are the children of the balmy Australian spring, with a brilliancy quite enchanting. Purple, yellow, and crimson glories greet the eyes in every direction, while the luxuriant grass is mantled and spangled with a gracious carpet of clover and other blossoms.

The twitter and joyous carol of birds arise on every hand. The visitor who seeks the reserve early in the morning will have the opportunity of hearing the ineffable music of the skylark's song as the bird, in obedience to that strange impulse which forces it in singing in captivity to dash its frail body against the roof of its cage, flings itself into the empyrean,

> "Higher still and higher,
> Like a cloud of fire,"

flooding the air with that divine melody which wrought such sweet response in the passionate soul of Shelley. The presence of this aerial minstrel is quite sufficient to counterbalance that of the destructive sparrow, whose depredations are already causing such woe in agricultural bosoms. Of course this little brown marauder, which flourishes so well beneath our hospitable skies, is to be seen in great abundance in the water reserve. The philanthropist who introduced this rapacious little robber deserves almost—though not quite—as much of the gratitude of the colony as that other who is responsible for the presence of the rabbit in the pastoral districts of New South Wales. The greatest care, too, appears to have been taken by those far-sighted persons to localise these so desirable immigrants to the district where their presence will meet with the fullest appreciation. The propagation of the sparrow, always so welcome to the farmer, has been most seduleusly cultivated in the coastal districts, which are chiefly agricultural, while the rabbit has been to the full as carefully encouraged in the pastoral districts, with what results to pastoralists we are now beginning to learn. It would be a just and thoughtful act on the part of Parliament to discover to whom the merit of the acclimatisation of these two homely creatures is due, and to place a sum of money on the Estimates in recognition of their praiseworthy endeavours.

The genial "geebung," with its equally well-known congener, the "five-corner," whose fruit possesses such attraction for the palate of young Australia, grows in the reserve with the fullest luxuriance, and the steel-blue waters of the swamps are peopled everywhere by rank growths of reeds and rushes, among which the gigantic bulrush is chiefly conspicuous. In beautifying and decorating these swamps, what a field is open to the genius of the designer of the grounds! To-day their waters are peopled only by gigantic eels and hoarse-croaking frogs, whose perpetual chorus fills the air with a dolorous chant, with here and there a burnished dragon-fly pendant on its gossamer wings above them. There is little room for romance now in the bosom of the most imaginative contemplator of these so silent sheets of water and scrub-grown stretches of land, but in the days to come what dramas may not be enacted among them, full of sweet human interest, redolent of pride and passion, burning with love and wet with sorrow, and deadened with all despairs, hopes, and feelings of which that "gentle human heart by which we live" is capable. Beneath the ample umbrageous branches of trees whose seeds are yet unplanted, upon seats through whose fibres the life-blood of living vegetation is still flowing, shall be enacted scenes which will load these quiet spaces with associations whose influence, flowing subtly down through channels historical and hereditary, will determine the characters of generations now unborn. Lovers will tread these lawny paths, and tell their soft tales beneath skies in which gleam the mellow glories of the Southern Cross—that perpetual benediction which the hand of God has made in characters of unfading fire upon the azure page of Heaven, as an assurance of perpetual goodwill towards men—and by the side of waters in whose depths is mirrored every swinging silver sphere of the Southern sky—

> "Et campus et areæ
> Lenesque sub noctem susurri
> Composita repetantur hora."

Graceful swans will swim over the placid waters, silver lilies loll on the wave, and the bright dresses and merry laughter of picnic parties—there is room for hundreds of such in these spacious grounds—will add all that is wanting to make the picture complete.

Let us hope that in planting groves of trees care will be taken to have the heavy foliaged trees of Europe represented as fully as possible, for, although these are mainly deciduous, the grandeur of their massive leafy heads in the period of their fullest foliage more than compensates for their autumnal bareness. Of our evergreen trees the handsome fig is the best suited for avenues, and will, doubtless, be largely used for this purpose in the new park.

The carriage drive, for the formation of which the work of levelling and filling in is going on with all possible despatch, will be unique in its loveliness. When completed, this drive will measure two miles twenty-eight chains in length, along a road winding through and round about the shining little lakes with the most charming erraticism. To those in search of fresh air and lovely scenery such a drive will be most welcome, as the lusty saline breezes, with their wealth of life-giving ozone, blow in from the ocean with scarcely an interruption.

So far there does not appear to be any settled site for the erection of the State House, but a slight elevation on the Paddington side of the reserve is considered the likeliest spot upon which the choice will fall. From this site the State House will hold a commanding view of the whole diversified extent of the Centennial Park. What form of structure will be employed in the State House will not, of course, be known till the accepted design is made public; but it should be something in harmony with the natural beauty of the surroundings. Architecture—particularly of Government buildings—has some queer features in Sydney, and it is to be hoped that no considerations of an unimpartial nature will sway the Government in their choice of a design. As the State House is to be purely ornamental, care should be taken to make it particularly *recherché*. It is the first opportunity we have had of this kind in New South Wales, and it would be the greatest pity to throw it away. Above all, it should have a pleasant festive appearance, with nothing of the sarcophagic about it. It is hardly likely that any of the great men of the colony will be buried within its walls. Sir Henry Parkes has disposed of himself beforehand, so as to preclude any possibility of his own interment within its chambers. And if he prefers his quiet mountain grave to the cold splendour of a mausoleum, why should he suppose that others will be more ambitious, or less retiring? Let us have nothing of the cemetery about our Centennial Palace. If we are to have anything at all in the way of a State House, let it be something which will be an education and a delight to all beholders—"a thing of beauty, and a joy for ever."

It is to be wished that it were possible to build here some pure white marble structure whose pale loveliness and graceful, delicate form would give to the rushing, blusterous nineteenth century, with its harsh utilitarianism and deification of the practical, some idea of that fleeted spirit of pure beauty which inspired the thoughts and guided the chisels of the men of Ancient Greece. Something like the beauty mentioned by Thackeray in the following passage would not be more desirable than, alas! it is doubtless far removed from the intentions of our architects:—

"I thought I could recognise the towering beauty of the prodigious columns of the Temple of Jupiter, and admire the astonishing grace, severity, elegance, completeness, of the Parthenon. The little Temple of Victory, with its fluted Corinthian shafts, blazed under the sun almost as fresh as it must have appeared to the eyes of its founders. I saw nothing more charming and brilliant, more graceful, festive, and aristocratic, than this sumptuous little building. The Roman remains which lie in the town below look like the works of barbarians beside these perfect structures. They jar strangely on the eye, after it has been accustoming itself to perfect harmony and proportions. If, as the schoolmaster tells us, the Greek writing is as complete as the Greek art,—if an ode of Pindar is as glittering and pure as the Temple of Victory, or a discourse of Plato as polished and calm as yonder mystical portico of the Erechtheum,—what treasures of the senses and delights of the imagination have those lost to whom the Greek books are as good as sealed!"

RE-ORGANISATION OF THE PROTECTION PARTY.

PRIVATE CONFERENCE.

A private conference of the different sections of the protectionist party took place at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, yesterday afternoon. There was a very large attendance, including the leading members of the Parliamentary Opposition, delegates from metropolitan and country leagues, and representatives of the principal trades unions and labour organisations. Among those present were Messrs. G. R. Dibbs, J. Fletcher, J. P. Garvan, E. W. O'Sullivan, N. Melville, J. Creer, J. M. Toohey, and T. Walker, Ms.L.A.; W. H. Traill, John Norton, W. Richardson, R. C. Luscombe, Thomas Ross, Alderman O'Connell, R. Turner, H. E. S. Bracey, J. P. T. Caulfield, J. W. Watkin, J. R. Talbot, John Osborne, Davis, Love, Morgan, John R. Eathorne, T. Simmonds, Egan, West, Plunkett, Minnie, Turner, Walsh, Johnson, Milne, C. Carroll, J. Kellet, S. Mills, T. M. Dalveen, Waldo, W. Graham, and others.

Mr. G. R. Dibbs was voted to the chair. Among the correspondence read was a letter from Mr. J. P. Abbott, M.L.A., regretting that an urgent and unforeseen business appointment prevented him being present, in which he said, "I do hope that the re-organisation of the protectionist party will be made firm and complete. So far as I am concerned, I am prepared to support any such organised party, but I cannot do more than that."

The CHAIRMAN, in opening the proceedings briefly explained the object of the conference, which, he said, was to formulate a programme in support of which all sections of the protectionist party, in and out of Parliament, could support, and to so perfect the organisation of the party as to promote the more speedy progress of the principles of protection throughout the country. At present there was a vast amount of enthusiasm displayed, but owing to the want of a common programme and platform much of the energy exhibited was wasted in consequence of the absence of a proper system of organisation and discipline. Their forces were cut up and scattered in separate sections, all working for the same end on different lines. What was wanted now was the amalgamation of these sections on one common platform, and directed by one supreme central executive. No great social or political struggle had ever yet been won without some such organisation as this. They had the men and material at their disposal, but he feared that if now suddenly called upon to do battle for the cause they had at heart, it would be found that, owing to this lack of organisation, and of a supreme controlling power, they would hardly be in a position to win. Therefore they must anticipate danger in the future by organising and concentrating their forces so that when the hour of battle arrived they would be ready to enter upon the struggle with hope and confidence. (Cheers.)

Messrs. O'Sullivan, Fletcher, Luscombe, Melville, Toohey, Richardson, Walker, Love, T. M. Dalveen, and a number of others, took part in a long discussion, during which all the speakers expressed their opinion of the necessity of reorganisation of all the Sydney and country protection unions and leagues under one central executive.

Mr. W. H. TRAILL moved, and Mr T. M. DALVEEN seconded, the following motion, which was carried unanimously:—"That a committee be appointed to draft a comprehensive scheme of reorganisation of the protectionist party in New South Wales with a view of concentrating the whole forces of the party under one central executive." This motion gave rise to a very animated discussion, during the course of which some very severe strictures were passed upon the negligence displayed in the past by the party, both in matters of party organisation and political reform. A strong desire was expressed that the programme of the new organisation should be at once comprehensive and definite, in order to secure the sympathy and support of all sections of the community, but particularly of the working-classes. Several of the speakers urged that the interests of the working-classes had not been studied with sufficient care by the protectionists in the past, because, while they would be benefited by the proposed change in the fiscal policy, there were other reforms which their interests demanded should be carried out. Radical reform in the mining and shipping laws were urgently required. In the first case the amendment of the Coalfields Regulation Act in the direction of more strict enforcement of the clauses relating to inspection, and the appointment of practical mining inspectors elected by the miners themselves, were required. With regard to the shipping laws, it was felt unjust that a seaman, because his dangerous occupation took him away from home and out of the country, should be deprived of his vote; while the Australian shipowner and the Australian seamen ought to be alike protected against foreign competition, which almost crushed them out. Restrictions against foreign ships competing with Australian vessels in the Australian coasting trade ought to be imposed, as was done in the United States; while the law ought to be so framed as to assist the native seaman in his struggle against Chinese and coolie labour. Anti-Chinese legislation ought to be made one of the main planks of the platform of the protectionist party, which would have to make its aims and objects identical with those of the working classes, in order to secure their support.

The following motion was also unanimously carried:—"That the gentlemen present do form themselves into a general committee in order to give effect to the first resolution."

A sub-committee, to draw up the manifesto, programme, and rules of the new organisation, to be submitted at a future meeting of the general committee was then appointed as follows:—Messrs. James Fletcher, N. Melville, and E. W. O'Sullivan, Ms.L.A.; W. H. Trail, John R. Eathorne, J. Osborne, J. P. T. Caulfield, Alderman M'Guire, J. R. Talbot, R. C. Luscombe, W. Richardson, West, Davis, and John Norton. The date for convening the next meeting of the general committee was left to the decision of the sub-committee. The new organisation is to be named the National Protection League. Mr. John Norton was unanimously elected secretary.

The sub-committee subsequently held a meeting under the presidency of Mr. James Fletcher, M.L.A., when the future operations were discussed. The first object will be to complete the amalgamation of the whole of the metropolitan and provincial organisations under the executive of the National Protection League. This done, it is proposed to map out the country and city districts into divisions, for the purpose of carrying on a vigorous and systematic propagandum throughout the country, and by this means to avoid irresponsible and sometimes contrary action on the part of the different sections of the party, which has been a source of serious misunderstanding and disorganisation in the past. A suggestion to hold a grand protection convention at the beginning of the centennial year was warmly approved. It is proposed to endeavour to complete the organisation before the end of the year, and on New Year's Day to hold a monster demonstration in the Domain or Exhibition Building, which would be preceded by a national procession. The sittings of the convention would probably extend over a week, and would include representatives from all the protection leagues, unions, and branch societies throughout the metropolitan and provincial districts of New South Wales, with delegates from all the other colonies. By this means it is thought the influence of the party would be extended and cemented in such a manner as to secure the triumph of protection at the next general election.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, FRIDAY.

The following have passed through:—

For Melbourne (by express): B. H. Bristowe, Bennett, Daly, Ryan, Gallacher, Bruttres, J. Deary, Mr. and Mrs. Ackman, Milthorpe, Turrell, Pogonoski, Williams, Mrs. H. Fisher, Mrs. Hitching, M'Evoy, Archibald, Twiner, R. Riemenschneider, Mr. and Mrs. Dodds, P. Glenister, Sir J. G. Craig, J. R. Cowell, Miss Flannagan, Miss Davey, Miss Mellow, Page, Bernard, Macaulay, Gribben, S. Steggs, J. Fisher, G. Fisher, J. W. Pierce, G. Thomas, W. R. Barber, J. Johnson, Smithers, Judlas, Mrs. Gardiner, C. Demaley, W. Price, Blake, Morrison, Dempsey, Rush, Kingsland, Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Alderson, J. Lowe, P. Lowe, Andrews, J. Kinnane, Belt, A. Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. F. Allen and 1 child, P. Howe, H. Browne, Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. Holland and family, Dr. Barry (Bishop of Sydney), T. Sayers, W. C. Wallace, W. Stephen, Kurtz, Miss M. Foy, G. A. Hawkins, W. Elliott, M'Kay, Dargin, Lang, Torry, Ozenham, May, D. Lawson, Lyne, Rev. J. Morris, J. Thompson, S. Thompson, Mrs. Harris, W. J. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Rudd and family, James Price, Simpson, G. Pollett, Mrs. Mitchellmore, A. W. Spackman.

For Melbourne (by ordinary): J. Harkness, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ritchie, Miss Kitchen, Mrs. Pickersgill, Miss Greene, Mrs. Williams, Miss Cochrane, J. C. Crowe, F. Monroe, W. Brown, Lyon, Glasscock, J. Hayes.

For Sydney (by express on Friday): A. B. Bruford, Jas. Stuart, Troll, French, Bank, E. B. Anderson, Miss A. M'Norton, J. Lissner, Dr. Bovill, Mrs. Bovill, W. Garling, Darcy Garling, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Davis, Edwin Phillips, C. Turner, W. F. Goyder, H. Campbell, James Watt, Toke, Rhett, Hudson, C. J. Boyle, E. J. Wright, Baxter, O'Reilly, H. Denton, W. S. Foxall, H. Moody, F. Woodhead, J. C. Young, Miss Young, Miss Hendy, C. H. Donovan, Thos. Chisholm, Mason, Mrs. Meeks, Miss Meeks, Reid, Miss Reid.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—October 7.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain Lewis Tindal, from Brisbane 6th instant. Passengers—Mrs. W. Hooker, Mrs. E. Wilson, Miss Palmer, Miss Derrig, Miss Bell, Miss Dennechy, Miss Wallace, Messrs. W. Hooker, E. Wilson, J. Page, W. Gore, W. H. Bowney, J. Atkinson, W. J. Boardman, F. Houghton, W. Watts, E. Smith, G. Ferrier, Captain W. Ellis, and 16 in the steerage. W. H. Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Coraki (s.), 350 tons, Captain S. Postans, from Richmond River 6th instant. Passengers—Messrs. Johnson, T. Hughes, and 5 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Rodondo (s.), 1119 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, from Melbourne 5th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Bell, Mrs. G. P. Carey, Miss Emily Melville, Miss Hope, Miss Kate Victor, Messrs E. Spon, M'Guffey, Lennox, Bell, Crawford, Stiffe, D'Arcy Stanfield, M'George, Thomas, Lloyd, Burdett, Carey, Foster, Captain Miles; and 34 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Darcy Pratt, schooner, 149 tons, Captain J. H. Smith, from Whangaroa, N.Z., September 14. G. J. Waterhouse, agent.

Quiraing (s.), 1160 tons, Captain R. Armstrong, from Melbourne 5th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Cubitt, Miss Gottsche, Miss Nicholas, Miss Turner, Miss Wilmott, Messrs. R. Turner, J. Bannister, F. H. Brown, and A. Holcroft in the saloon, and 22 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

DEPARTURE.—October 7.

Surprise, schooner, for Normanton.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—October 8.

Pacific Slope, barque, for Honolulu, via Newcastle; Quiraing (s.), for Cooktown, via ports; Barrabool (s.), for Melbourne; Victorian (s.), for Adelaide, via Melbourne; Leura (s.) for Brisbane and Northern ports; Woodburn (s.), for Macleay River; Helen Nicoll (s.), for Grafton; Mary Ogilvie, schooner, for New Britain.

CLEARANCES.—October 7.

Gabo (s.), 2070 tons, Captain John Pain, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Balderston and child, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Miss R. Gough, Miss Thomas, Miss F. M'Dermid, Miss J. M'Dermid, Miss L. Fraser, Miss Alice Brown, Messrs. J. W. Cay, E. G. Martin, J. T. Cole, J. L. Maddox, E. G. Johnson, W. Hall, Edward Round, M. M'Inerney, Richard Gough, E. M'Namara, J. L. Lawson, J. Ward, P. J. Bruen, J. Williams, W. J. Wilson, Alfred D. Gore, Captain Johnston, Captain F. W. Strickland, and 33 in the steerage.

Fitzroy (s.), 870 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Miss Mary Netterfield, Miss Bartley, Miss Joice, Miss Vokes-Dudgeon, Captain Eldred, Messrs. Horwood, J. Corbett, R. Lee, S. Cawthray, Daniel Breeze, and 31 in the steerage.

Katoomba (s.), 1006 tons, Captain F. G. Lee, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Iveson, Mrs. Gilley, Miss Ironton, Miss Rutherford, Miss Johnston, Messrs. Schire, C. Newton, M. Marks, J. M'Connell, C. P. Field, J. Tidy, J. R. Dodds, Thos. Hughes, Gross, and 20 in the steerage.

Mary Ogilvie, schooner, 68 tons, Captain W. G. Garth, for Lord Howe Island, Norfolk Island, and New Britain. Passengers—Mrs. Garth and infant, Misses Garth (2).

COASTERS INWARDS.—October 7.

Gwydir (s.), from Newcastle, with 108 bales wool, 55 bales hay, 12 casks tallow, 80 cases meats, 2 cases eggs, 43 baskets fish, 6 calves, 191 pigs.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—October 7.

Amy and Santa Cruz, Endeavour, for Newcastle; Wyrallah (s.), for Richmond River; Union, for Wogonga; Victoria, for Manning River; Emily Ann, for Port Macquarie; May Howard, for Clyde and Bateman's Bay; Annie C. Lynn, for Tomakin.

IMPORTS.—October 7.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Barrabool (s.), from Brisbane: 200 bags tin ore, 605 bags 572 mats 493 sacks sugar, 1 parcel gold, 167 hides, 4 butter kegs, 20 hogsheads tallow, 25 bags bones, 14 cases empty jars, 73 bundles timber, 22 bales paper, 22 bags oysters, 738 bales wool, 80 bags quartz, 20 bags hides, 42 bundles sheepskins, 100 cases 36 bags arrowroot, 50 cases pines, 37 cases green peas, a quantity of sundries, and 300 tons merchandise for Melbourne.

Darcy Pratt, from Whangaroa: 130,000ft. kauri flitches.

Rodondo (s.), from Melbourne: 300 bags sugar, 99 bags onions, 360 bags flour, 1035 bags chaff, 570 casks cement, 85 bags oatmeal, 40 cases curry powder, and 100 tons for Newcastle.

Quiraing (s.), from Melbourne: 5 sacks provisions, 2 cases stationery, 206 cakes spelter, 60 bags oatmeal, 200 bags chaff, 145 boxes soap, 366 packages tea, 565 bags flour, 14 packages churns, 40 packages cordage, 14 cases cakes, 150 cases merchandise, 1 horse, 2 bulls, and a quantity of sundries.

Ex Mary A. Troop: 110 cases preserved meats, 10 cases shrimps—H. S. Bird and Co.

Ex Duleep Singh: 20 barrels American pork—H. S. Bird and Co.

Ex Duleep Singh: 116 packages steel-frame harvesters and binders, for William Fleming, Clarence-street.

Ex Duleep Singh: 14 packages Reliable buggies, for William Fleming, Clarence-street.

Ex Duleep Singh: 20 packages riding ploughs and cultivators, for William Fleming, Clarence-street.

Ex Duleep Singh: 12 cases scales, 1 bale lamp wick, 4 cases blind rollers, 2 cases oil stones, 2 cases step pads, 2 cases forks, 2 cases snaths, 1 case plumbs and levels, 2 cases saws, 1 case augers, 2 cases axles, 8 cases rails and tacks, 4 bundles 1 crate wheelbarrows, 8 crates churns, 16 cases locks and latches, 7 cases brackets, 1 case bells 10 cases 12 bundles woodenware, 8 cases hose, 10 cases clothes pegs, 36 crates washboards, 2 cases rolling pins and potato mashers—Roberts, Chalmers, and Co., Importers, 54, York-street, Hay, Engine, and Harbour streets, Sydney.

Ex Duleep Singh: 100 kegs hogcasings—A. M. Marks and Co., Importers, 119, Pitt-street.

Ex Duleep Singh, from New York: 2500 cases Light of Age kerosene oil; 2500 cases Diamond kerosene oil—John Frazer and Co.

Ex Trafalgar, Brussels, and Duleep Singh: 1000 cases Usher's O.V.G. and Special Reserve whiskies, 4500 cases 130 and 150 test kerosene, 12 cases Van Houten's ¼'s, ½'s, and 1lb. cocoa, 2 tanks Epps' cocoa, 2 tanks Oakey's knife polish, 421 cases Morton's goods, viz., ox tongues, sheep tongues, capers, vinegar, olives, crystal vinegar, golden syrup, pickles, jams, red herrings; 25 cases Neaves' food, 25 cases Nestle's food, 10 cases cream tartar, 5 tanks Keen's D. S. F. mustard, 2 tanks Oxford blue, 20 cases patent groats, 100 cases starch, 125 cases Whybrow's pickles, 125 cases Whybrow's salad oil, 20 cases Nixey's black lead, 20 cases Day and Martin's blacking, 20 cases C. and B. potted meats, fish, 1 tank Taylor's cocoa, 100 cases ¼ sardines, 50 cases ½ sardines, 2 tanks canary seed, 2 tanks hemp seed, 1 tank rape seed, 1 tank carraways, 67 barrels whiting, 200 cases Swiss milk, 1 tank Swinborne's gelatine, 200 cases English milk—Cramsie, Arthur, and Co.

EXPORTS.—October 7.

Mary Ogilvie, for Lord Howe Island, Norfolk Island, and New Britain: 80 packages wines, spirits, and beer, 20 packages tea, 30 bags rice, 40 cases pipes, 23 bags salt, 4 cases cordage, 72 bags flour, 1 case galvanised iron, 1 dray, 1 organ, 3 cases drapery, 2 packages hardware, 14 cases candles, 21 packages oilstores, 82 packages sugar, 28 packages tobacco and sundries, 14 cases kerosene.

Gabo (s.), for Melbourne: 2150 tons coal, 18 bags oysters, 18 cases pines, 5 cases plants, 1 parcel pictures, 2195 cases fruit, and sundries.

Fitzroy (s.), for Rockhampton, via ports: 1050 bags flour, 600 bags maize, 500 bags potatoes, 200 bags oats, 100 bags wheat, 150 cases beer, 100 casks beer, 130 cases cheese, 26 cases hams and bacon, 750 cases fruit, 80 cases oil, 60 packages boots, 150 packages hardware, 40 packages drugs, 36 packages drapery, 274 bars and bundles iron, 100 cases maizena, 13 cases cigars, 30 cases marble, 20 cases sewing machines, 50 boxes candles, 10 tons pig iron, 50 boxes glass, 50 barrels plaster, 60 packages boots, 100 cases preserved fruit, 25 cases acid, 100 bags rice, 100 cases kerosene oil, 50 cases sauce, 27 sacks linseed, 50 bales chaff, 59 kegs butter, 20 bags biscuits, 33 rolls matting, 6 casks resin, 20 casks pork, 59 bags malt, 25 bags peas, 40 kegs white lead, 20 drums oil, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

Brisbane.—Arrivals: October 7, Glanworth (s.), from Sydney; Eurimbla (s.), from Rockhampton. Departures: October 7, Burwah (s.), Cintra (s.), for Sydney; Derwent (s.), for Maryborough and Rockhampton. Paul, barque, for Valparaiso, cleared Cape Moreton yesternight. Yaralla (s.) arrived at Bundaberg yesternight from Brisbane. Birksgate (s.), Cooktown for Sydney, left Bowen this morning. R.M.S. Jumna, for London, via ports, and Elamang (s.), Sydney for Cooktown, both left Flat-top Island this morning. Geelong (s.), for Cairns, arrived at Flat-top Island yesternight, and sailed this morning. Maranoa (s.) arrived at Cooktown this morning from Sydney. Rockton (s.) left Kimberley yesternight for Brisbane, via ports. You Yangs (s.), Cairns for Brisbane, arrived at Flat top this morning. Samoa (s.) arrived at Cooktown yesternight from New Guinea.

Yaamba.—Departure: October 7, Terranora (s.), with two punts in tow, for Ballina. Passed: October 7, Electra (s.), north, at 4.15 a.m.

Ballina.—Arrivals: October 7, Grace Dent, Adonis, schooners, at 8.5 a.m.; Electra (s.), from Sydney, at 12.45 p.m.; Terranora (s.), from Clarence River.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: October 7, Jean Pierre, from Albany; Fiado (s.), Nemesis (s.), Taramung (s.), from Melbourne; Namoi (s.), Boomerang (s.), Lubra (s.), Duckenfield (s.), Lady St. Aubyn, Malcolm, Marie, Annie, from Sydney. Departures: October 7, Rio, for Napier; Fiona (s.), for Clarence River; Lubra (s.), Namoi (s.), Boomerang (s.), Burrumbeet (s.), Fern (s.), Menschikoff, Fanny Fisher, Countess of Errol, Hebe, Prosperity, for Sydney.

Gabo Island.—Passed: October 7, Lindus (s.), at 5.50 a.m.; Easby (s.), at 9.50 a.m., west; Persian Empire, ship, at 8.30 a.m.; Penobscot, American barque, at 9.45 a.m.; Thyatira, barque, at 11.5 a.m.; Carn Tual, at 1.5 p.m.; Verulam, at 3.20 p.m.; Santa, at 3.50 p.m.; Thistle, three-masted schooner, at 4.10 p.m., north.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: October 7, Tagliaferro (s.), from Newcastle; Maugana (s.), from Launceston; Southern Cross (s.), from Hobart; Mararoa (s.), from New Zealand; Gevallia, from Puget Sound; Natal Queen, from Hobart. Departures: October 7, Pathan (s.), for Newcastle; Buninyong (s.), for Sydney; Wasdale, from Newcastle.

Adelaide.—Arrivals: October 7, M. M. Yarra and South Australian (s.), from Melbourne; Colac (s.), from Newcastle. Departure: October 7, Yarra (s.), for Marseilles.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

Tweed Heads.—Arrival: October 7, Spurwing, schooner, at 11.10 a.m. Departure: October 7, Scout (s.), at 10 a.m.

Richmond Heads.—Arrivals: October 7, Electra (s.), at 8.5 a.m.; Grace Dent, at 10.20 a.m.; Terranora (s.), at 12.45 p.m., from Clarence River; Adonis, at 12.45 p.m., from Sydney. Passed: October 7, a schooner, at 7.45 a.m.; a large barque, at 8 a.m.; a large barque, at 10.20 a.m., too far to distinguish signals; a ketch, painted red, at 1.30 p.m.; a schooner, painted white, at 2.30 p.m., north.

Bellinger Heads.—Arrivals: October 7, Echo and Bellinger, ketches, at 9.30 a.m., from Sydney.

Nambucca Heads.—Arrival: October 7, J. G. Kondio, from Sydney. Departure: October 7, Lady of Lorne, at noon.

Port Macquarie.—Arrivals: October 7, Susie, at 8.45 a.m.; Wellington (s.), at 10 a.m.; Empress of India, at 9.15 a.m., from Sydney. Passed: October 7, Fiona (s.), at 6 p.m., north.

Camden Haven.—Arrival: October 7, Formosa, ketch, at 9 a.m., from Sydney.

Cape Hawke.—Arrival: October 7, Alfred Fenning, Annie, Mystery, Enterprise.

Manning Heads.—Arrival: October 7, Ada and Garfield, at 10.40 a.m.; Rosedale (s.), at 10.45 a.m. Departure: October 6, Ada Ethel, at noon. October 7, Jessie Sinclair, at 2 p.m.

Seal Rocks.—Passed: October 7, Fernmount (s.), at 11.40 a.m.; Fiona (s.), at noon, north.

Nelson's Bay.—October 7, Agnes Rose, Freetrade, Integrity, and Jane, at anchor in bay. Passed: October 7, Caledonia, at 8 a.m.; Kingsley (s.), 12.30 p.m. Passed: October 7, Fiona (s.), at 10.30 a.m.; Fernmount (s.), at 8.30 a.m., north.

Wollongong.—Arrival: October 7, Kameruka (s.), from Sydney. Departures: October 7, Kameruka (s.), Violet (s.), for Sydney.

Kiama.—Arrivals: October 7, Beagle (s.), Merksworth (s.), from Sydney. Departures: October 7, Merksworth (s.) and Beagle (s.), for Sydney. Passed: October 7, a large steamer, at 1.30 p.m., south.

Jervis Bay.—Passed: October 7, a steamer, flying letters QKPG, at 6 p.m., north, one of the China boats.

Moruya Heads.—Passed: October 7, one of the A. U. S. N. steamers, at 12.30 p.m., north. Arrival: October 7, Ariel, ketch, at 5.3 p.m., from Shellharbour.

Eden.—Arrival: October 7, Bega (s.), at 1 p.m., from Sydney.

Green Cape.—Passed: October 7, a steamer, at 6 a.m.; Persian Empire, at 10.45 a.m.; a barque, at 11.45 a.m.; a barque, at 12.30 p.m.; Thyatira, at 1.20 p.m.; Carn Tual, at 3.35 p.m.; a large barque in deep trim, at 4.5 p.m.; a barque in light trim, at 4.20 p.m.; two barques in sight at 7 p.m.; Verulam, at 6.20 p.m.; Santa, barque, at 6 p.m.; Thistle, three-masted schooner, at 7 p.m.; a large ship, hull down, at 7 p.m.; a three-masted schooner, painted white, at 7 p.m., in sight; Penobscot, at 11.45 a.m., all north; Easby (s.), at 7.15 a.m., south.

Gabo Island.—Passed: October 7, Lindus (s.), at 5.50 a.m.; Easby (s.), at 9.45 a.m., west; a large barque at 5 p.m., beating south; Persian Empire, at 8.30 a.m.; a barque in light trim, at 9.40 a.m.; Penobscot, at 9.45 a.m.; a three-masted schooner; Thistle, at 4.10 p.m.; a barque in light trim, at 10.30 a.m.; Thyatira, at 11.5 a.m.; a large, deeply-laden barque, at 12.50 p.m.; Carn Tual, at 1.5 p.m.; a barque, at 2 p.m.; Santa, at 3.50 p.m.; Verulam, at 3.20 p.m.; a three-masted schooner, painted white, at 3.40 p.m.; a deeply-laden ship, with painted ports, at 5.30 p.m.; a barque, at 5.30 p.m., north.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: October 9, Mararoa (s.), from New Zealand; Southern Cross (s.), from Hobart; Tagliaferro (s.), from Newcastle.

Low Heads.—Departure: October 6, Maugana (s.), at 5 p.m., for Melbourne.

Adelaide.—Arrival: October 7, Yarra (s.), from Melbourne. Departures: October 6, Prospero, for Tasmania. October 7, Yarra (s.), at 7.45 p.m., for Marseilles.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Friday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market to-day business was quiet. Perpetual Trustee were dearer. Other quotations were without change. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Bank of New South Wales, 62½; A. S. N. Company, 14¾; Perpetual Trustee, 13s. 3d., 13s. 6d., 14s.; Saywell's Tobacco, 21s. 6d. At 4 o'clock: Australian Gaslight Company new shares, 6¼; Perpetual Trustee, 13s. 9d., 14s. Closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
BANKS.					
A. J. Bank	16½	17	N. S. Wales	62	63
City, ex new issue	—	16¼	New shares	—	—
New issue, £3 paid	91/6	96/6	N.Z., Syd. reg.	16½	16¾
Commercial	113	115	Ditto, N.Z. reg.	15¾	16¾
Com. of Austr.	—	—	Q'land National	9¼	9¾
Federal	69/	70/	Rl. Bk. of Qd.	93/	96/
Mercantile	5½	6	Union	57	—
			National of Australasia	9½	—
STEAM.					
Australasian	14¼	15	Newcastle	13/	14/6
Balmain Ferry	19/	19/9	Ditto, new sh's, 10s paid	9/6	11/
C. R. R.	7¾	—	N. Shore Ferry	—	40/
Ditto Preferent	14	—	Port Jackson	53/	55/
Hunter River	—	10¾			
Illawarra	7¼	7¾			
INSURANCE.					
General	7	7½	New S. Wales	1/	1/3
Austral. Mutual	—	15/6	New Zealand	65/	70/
City Mutual	1/3	1/5	Pacific	16/	18/
Hull and Gene'l	—	—	Sydney Mutual	—	—
Merc. Mutual	4/	4/2	United	67/	68/
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Aus. Gas, ex new	14¾	15	Mont de Piete	—	21/
New, first call paid	6¼	6½	Perkins and Co.	—	43/6
			Ditto (new)	—	27/
Cl'maine Brew.	28/	—	Saywell's	21/6	22/
City Carrying	—	6/	Shale and Oil	—	5/6
Emu Gravel and Road Metal	11/6	—	Exchange	13½	15
			Vol. Land Order	—	165
Hudson Bros., 17s 6d paid	3/6	4/	Perpetual Trustee Co	13/9	14/
LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.					
Anglo-A.L.F.I.	5½	—	Syd. Freehold	22/9	24/
Ditto, £1 paid	—	—	Syd. and Provincial Land	—	4¾
C. B. and In.	63/	—	Sydney and Sub.	5	5¾
Excelsior	54/	—	Syd. Permanent	32	35
Mer. B. L. & In.	18/9	20/	Industrial Provident	22	—
Ditto, 7s paid	—	6/3			
Metrop. Band I.	5¼	—			
COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.					
New S. Wales Funded	102	—	Debentures due 1902	114	—

The following were the Melbourne quotations posted at the Exchange to-day:—Federal Bank, buyer 69s. 6d., seller 70s.; National Bank, seller £10 1s., sales £10; Castlemaine Brewery, seller 2s. 6d.; Perpetual Trustee, buyer 13s. 6d., seller 13s. 9d., sales 13s. 6d.

Our London cablegram shows that the Bank reserves are still at the very low total of £11,200,000, as against £11,100,000 and £12,100,000 in the two preceding weeks; and the proportion of reserves to liabilities is only 39 per cent., as compared with 44 per cent. and 45 per cent. in the two earlier weeks. When the Bank rate was raised to 4 per cent., on the 31st August, the reserve was £11,700,000, and the proportion to liabilities 42 per cent. It would therefore appear that the position is on the whole rather weaker. Money in the open market is dearer, as on the 1st September it was 3¼ per cent., whilst yesterday it was 3¾. However, the latter figure is ¼ per cent. less than the price ruling for a fortnight prior to Tuesday last. Notwithstanding the high rates paid for many, Consols and colonial stocks appear to have an upward tendency.

In the Import markets a steady business continues to be done. The transactions of the week warrant a more cheerful report than has been justified by the state of the market for some weeks previously. Certainly, buyers have dealt more freely in all classes of goods from off which the duty was taken on Saturday last, and the general trade in other goods has also been more active. The Customs receipts for the first four days of the month, amounting to £36,046, exceed the total for the first four days of September by £5490, notwithstanding the loss of the advalorem and specific revenue. The figures disclose the payment of duty on fully 25 per cent. more goods than were duty paid on the opening days of last month, and perhaps may be taken to imply a demand enlarged to that extent. Two or three small houses have had to meet their creditors, but there have been no large failures. Still the number of renewals has been large, indicating that traders are yet feeling the monetary pressure. The flour trade discloses nothing of importance, operations being on a limited scale at the following range of quotations:—New South Wales, £8 15s. to £10; Victorian, £8 15s. to £9; Adelaide, £9 10s. to £9 15s.; South Australian, country brands, £9 to £9 5s.; roller made flour, £9 10s. to £10 10s. Wheat is 3s. 9d. to 3s. 10d. For tea there is only a moderate demand. The sale of 100 half-chests reported yesterday should have been at 70s., not 10s. per half-chest. Coffee is moving off at late quotations. Epps's cocoa scarce, and worth 1s. 8d., with 1s. 7d. accepted for forward delivery. Dried fruits: Old currants are worth from 5d. to 5¼d., according to samples; new fruit, 5¾d. to 5¾d. required and paid to land and to arrive; sultanas in demand at 5¾d., elemes dull of sale; figs almost unobtainable; for dates 3d. is asked, but is a full figure. The sugar market is unaltered, prices ranging from £16 to £17 for rations, £19 to £21 for yellows, £22 to £23 15s. for whites, with good stocks. The week's deliveries have been large, comprising 12,866 bags, 4298 mats, 101 pockets, and 5188 packages. Producers are holding back shipments from the Brisbane markets. More inquiry for rice, a quantity having been placed for export. English Dairymaid milk sold at 6s. 4½d. Red rock salt having sold at 85s., is now quoted at 90s. Salt steady at late quotations. Champion's bulk vinegar sold at the reduced price of 1s. 4d. A fairly good demand for mustard, Keene's moving off at 8s. 3d. and 17s. Candles, 6d. to 6¼d., though business has been done at a trifle less for the cheapest brands; colonial candles, 5¼d. to 5½d. In fish there is little doing. Brewers' goods are still dull of sale and unaltered in value. Liquids had moderate attention, though few large sales have transpired. The demand for bottled ale is not equal to the supply of many brands; but favourite bottlings are beginning to move more freely at up to 10s. 6d. for quarts and 7s. 6d. for pints. Leading brands of bulk ale are also in fair request, both on the spot and to arrive. Pig stout is selling at 9s. 6d. and 6s. 6d. for quarts and pints respectively. Hennessy's brandy in moderate request at 35s. 6d. for single star and 46s. for three star. Second-class brandy moving off in trade lines at current rates; a parcel of Bisquit Dubouché placed at agents' quotations. Robertson's and Walker's whisky in moderate demand, but generally the trade in the spirit is not brisk. Old Tom barely worth 10s. 3d.; geneva still at 10s. 9d. in trade lots. Lowndes' rum, 8s. to 8s. 2d., obscured and free; "to arrive" lots procurable at 2d. per gallon less. An unusually large quantity of wine moved off. The metal trade, though somewhat better, is still by no means brisk. Galvanised iron is fairly firm at from £17 15s. to £18 10s., according to brand; a parcel of Redcliffe Crown to arrive sold at £18 2s. 6d. Sheet lead is held for £15 10s. Fencing wire is worth £9 10s. to £9 12s. 6d. for No. 8, which is scarce. No. 10 also readily commands £10 10s. I. C. Coke tin plates move off at 16s. to 16s. 3d. Of wire nails the market is bare, and 13s. has to be paid. Notwithstanding the arrival of three large shipments, kerosene oil is at 1s. 9d. to 1s. 10d. for low test, high test at 2s.; castor, 2s. 8d.; and China, 2s. 10d.—parcels having been placed at concessions on these figures. Blasting powder, for export, has been done at 4½d., the local demand being very light; large quantities of dynamite have been shipped to South Australia and Queensland. In jute goods, woolpacks in small lines are being moved off at 3s.; buyers holding off as much as possible until the ships advised come to hand. Carbonate of soda done at £11; for forward delivery, £9 10s. accepted. Cement is worth from 14s. 6d. to 15s. 6d., according to brand.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £2276 13s. 3d.; ditto samples, £1 4s. 10d.; wine, still, £98 8s. 9d.; wine, sparkling, £25; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £250; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £216 7s. 11d.; tobacco and snuff, £260 14s.; cigars, £672 16s. 2d.; cigarettes, 15s.; tea, £335 0s. 10d.; coffee, 3s., chicory, £11 4s.; sugar, unrefined, £578 13s. 2d.; opium, 15s.; rice, £152 9s. 10d.; dried fruits, £792 1s.; specific duty, £1639 4s. 2d.; harbour and light rates, £44 1s.; pilotage, Sydney, £19 19s. 4d.; excise on beer, £406 3s. 9d.; tobacco factory license fees, £25; fisheries royalty, £12 3s.; total, £7813 18s.

STOCK SALES.

Griffiths and Weaver report having sold at Homebush:—On account Mr. Walter Douglas, from Brighton Downs, 248 fat bullocks, at £6 10s 1d, and 33 cows at £5 5s 2d; outside, for Mr. W. W. Richardson, from Breadalbane station, 288 mixed cattle, at a satisfactory price; and on account A. J. S. Bank Murrumbidgerie station; with other agents, 9000 wedders.—[Advt.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The weekly returns of the Bank of England show that the proportion of the reserve to liabilities is 39 per cent. The total reserve in notes and bullion amounts to £11,200,000.

Consols, 102.

Market rate of discount, 3¾.

Tin, £105 10s.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Share Report.—Sales: Commercial Bank, £9 9s.; Federal Bank, 69s. 6d.; Tramway and Omnibus, 36s. 3d., 36s. 6d.

Wheat sold at 3s. 5d. Flour is unchanged; there is a better demand. New currants sold at 3½d., in bond; sultanas, 5¾d., duty paid; elemes, 2½d., in bond. General business is quiet.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

Breadstuffs remain inactive. Values of wheat at Port Adelaide are unaltered, the quotation being 3s. 3d to 3s. 4d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The sugar market has been firm all the week. Best whites sold up to £20 10s.; seconds, £17 10s. to £19; light grainy yellows, £15 to £15 10s.; good rations, £14. Maize, 4s. 7d. to 4s. 9d. Imported potatoes are scarce. Imported oaten hay, £7 10s. to £8; butter, 15d. to 16d.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 7 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 7 p.m.
Queensland, 9.30 p.m.
Merimbula and Eden, 11 a.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 12 noon and 1 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.
Macleay River, 8 p.m.

MONDAY.

Hobart and Launceston, via Eden, 3 p.m.
Port Macquarie, 4 p.m.
Manning River, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Brisbane and Northern Ports, 3 and 4 p.m.
Wellington and Southern Ports of New Zealand, 3 p.m.
Dunedin and Invercargill, 3.30 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Ulladulla, Merimbula, and Eden, 11 a.m.
Thursday Island, Port Darwin, and Hongkong, 1 p.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 4 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Auckland and all New Zealand Ports, 3 p.m.
United Kingdom and Continent of Europe, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Lusitania, 6 p.m.

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BOYD and KING.—On the Ground, St. Peters, at 3, Land.
E. FRENCH.—At Newtown Markets, at 3, Furniture, &c.
B. R. HARRIS and CO.—At Rooms, at 11, Canaries, &c.
A. MOORE and CO.—At 15, Wilson-street, Newtown, at 2, Furniture, &c.
GARRARD and HAMILTON.—On the Ground, Strathfield South, at 3, Land.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.—On the Ground, Tennyson, Parramatta River, at 3, Land.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At 10, Sheepskins.
J. T. RILEY and CO.—At Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
WATKIN and WATKIN.—On the Ground, Auburn Grove, at 3, Land.
MORT and CO.—At Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
F. L. BARKER.—At Stores, at 9.30, Horns, &c.
J. BRIDGE.—At Circular Quay, at 10, Horns, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
A. AGNEW.—At 55, Druitt-street, at 11, Furniture, &c.; at Dowling-street, Camperdown, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

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There is at last a sign, be it ever so small, to show that England is rekindling some of her old interest in the Pacific. A cablegram from Auckland, which we published yesterday, contained the information that H.M.S. Opal had left hurriedly, for Tonga, it was supposed, and that it was the intention of the Consul there to hoist the British flag and proclaim a British protectorate if there should be any interference on the part of the Germans. We would not have it otherwise. England has played a fast and loose game in the Pacific Islands for so long that some glimmer of decisive action now, for either annexation or complete withdrawal, is comforting. Inaction on the part of the British while Germany and France were busy extending their influence in the Pacific was growing intolerable. Step by step have these two Powers won their way in the groups of islands, and Germany particularly has such a commercial hold in the Southern Ocean that England can scarcely be said to be in this respect "Mistress of the Seas." Since the Missionary fever that was fed from Exeter Hall has settled down to labour hand in hand with commerce and civilisation, all glamour has departed that attracted England to snatch the heathen as brands from the burning, and shelter them under her peaceable flag. The instantaneous conversion of the savage to Christianity and a humble devotion to the British Constitution was at one time the conspicuous element in British colonisation. This policy, however, was not a great success, and of all that England has sought to do in the South Seas, there is little in point of power to show for it. Her missionaries certainly have been the first to colonise and open up the islands, but the commercial results that ought to follow such a condition—where are they? England dominates but one group of islands commercially in the Pacific, and it is virtually bankrupt. Fiji has been a source of vexation for years, owing to the stupid policy of Sir Arthur Gordon. The hard times that began with his Administration have lasted ever since. The strong efforts of the Fijians to become annexed to Australia are the best proof of that.

What is the condition of affairs in Tonga? England has had every opportunity to become commercially and politically supreme there, but she has not done so. The German influence is all-powerful, so far as commerce is concerned. Nearly twelve years ago the German Government made a treaty with the Tongan Government by which one of the islands of the Friendly group was to become a coaling station for Germany. That treaty quite naturally held good things for the Germans, while the benefits to the Tongans could only possibly be on paper. We described that act of Germany then to be a well-laid naval scheme to spread her power in the Pacific Islands, and results have shown that we were correct. Ever since then the German influence has extended. In New Guinea Germany more than holds her own, and England would not have taken action when she did had it not been for Germany. In Samoa, as late events have shown, she is supreme so far as interference from the other Powers is concerned. England and the United States seem very willing to let her work her pleasure there. It has been more than once declared that Tonga and Samoa were both to be taken into the embrace of Germany. If it is true that England is at last on the other side of the chessboard, intent on having her share of what seems to be the property of the nations, and to be played for, there is reason to be thankful. France, which never has been considered a colonising Power in the sense that England is, has gathered in her share. In New Caledonia, the Loyalty Islands, the New Hebrides, and Tahiti, she has fixed her position, and it cannot well be shaken now. The off-set to all this that England has to show is Fiji. While in Tonga German commerce rules, backed up until lately by an undoubted predilection on the part of the Premier for things Teutonic, enough English influence is still there to hold its own if there were any interest taken in the islands by the Home authorities. It would be supposed that England would have annexed Tonga before this, as a matter of political foresight. To proclaim a protectorate there now would only preserve a certain national balance in these seas, which is necessary for the best interests of the Empire.

It is not surprising that the question is constantly asked, "What is to become of Polynesia?" One thing is certain, native rule is doomed. The native kings now are independent only in name. Some foreign influence is the power behind the Throne. The Hawaiian Islands, which are the most advanced and most important in the Pacific, are almost entirely under American influence. Washington sends not a Consul, but a Minister to Honolulu, who does more governing than the outside world supposes. Native rule there is tottering to its fall. What it is in Samoa, Tonga, and the rest we know. It must give place to foreign government, and what that government is to be must be answered very soon or never. England may not want Tonga or any other island particularly. She may think she has enough territory. But responsibility begets responsibility, and that already assumed by her in these seas imperatively demands that she shall add to it for safety's sake. What benefits Australia favours England. We are not more dependent upon her market than she is upon ours. If our commercial connections with the Pacific islands are weakened by the growth of foreign influence, which England might prevent by a little judiciously aggressive action, we have good ground for complaint against Downing-street. Britain can afford to lose nothing in the South Seas. Though failure has attended her career more or less in Fiji, it is still clear that she did the right thing in annexing it, and that matters might have been infinitely better if there had been wise government. But in connection with this bare question of commerce there is to be seriously considered the establishment of European influence in the Pacific. There is always the great danger of international complications arising, which are more easily engendered than settled. It is not the mere value of the territory that moves France and Germany to acquisition, though perhaps the greed of possession has something to do with it. The vastly increasing interest in naval matters in those two countries has made them vigilant to gain every point of vantage that would be useful in time of war or profitable during a season of peace. They have been so far successful both in improving their naval armament and in enlarging their trade. France has led in the former and Germany in the latter, while England has stood comparatively still in both. It is high time that the British Government awoke to the necessities of the time, and, whether they annex Tonga or not, the voice of England should once more be heard to some purpose in the Pacific.

In one of the London papers we notice a curious correspondence which has recently passed between the Bishop of London and the Rev. S. D. Headlam. Mr. Headlam wrote to the Bishop asking for general leave to officiate in the diocese, and stated that he was prepared to send in the usual testimonials. In reply, he received a note from the Bishop regretting that Mr. Headlam "appeared to

him to be doing serious mischief," and that, "holding that opinion, the BISHOP was not able to give Mr. HEADLAM facilities for doing more mischief." Naturally Mr. HEADLAM was unwilling to rest under what he characterises as a very terrible charge, and he wrote expressing a hope that Dr. TEMPLE would not leave this vague accusation hanging over him. It would be scarcely fair to give the BISHOP'S reply otherwise than verbatim. He says:—"I thought you perfectly understood what it was that I disapproved of in your action. I believe your course has a tendency to encourage young men and young women to be frequent spectators of ballet dancing. I am confident that to the vast majority of young men and young women the sight of such dancing, as now practised, is a very grievous temptation. To encourage them to go into temptation, when our LORD has taught them to pray not to be led into temptation, is, in my opinion, most mischievous." There is a tone of almost Papal infallibility about this letter which in these days of discussion and inquiry is not a little surprising. Of course no one will dissent from the proposition stated at the end of his lordship's letter; nor will it be generally thought that the "opinion" of the BISHOP of LONDON was needed to give support to it. The remarkable portion of the letter is that which condemns literally *ex cathedra* a "course" on the part of Mr. HEADLAM which it may surely be argued is a matter rather for individual conscience than for church discipline. The course referred to, as explained in a letter by Mr. HEADLAM and not denied by the BISHOP, is that of maintaining a dancer's calling to be an honourable one, that dancing should be treated as an art, and that the ladies of the ballet should be treated with respect, and not isolated by religious people; and Mr. HEADLAM adds that, granting that he is mistaken on the matter of ballet-dancing, the BISHOP is not justified in depriving him of the means of earning a living, or of discharging the duties which he was ordained to discharge.

We do not think that the position assumed by Dr. TEMPLE can be reasonably sustained. The field which it opens up is so wide that it is difficult to see how any limit can be placed upon the discretion of a bishop, and surely some limit there must be. There are, for instance, many persons who regard the theatre quite apart from the ballet as a cause of moral deterioration to all who attend it, whether as audience or performers. Others hold that the man who drinks a glass of beer at a public-house puts himself in the way of serious temptation, or at best sets an example fraught with the gravest evil to others. Yet there are many excellent clergymen who not only approve of theatrical representations but attend them; who if they only take their modest refreshment at quiet dinner-tables yet do not condemn the hard-worked labourer for indulging in a pot of ale at the public-house. Could it be argued that a Bishop with a Puritan horror of the theatre, or believing in the strictest of teetotal principles, should have the right of preventing from officiating in his diocese a clergyman, otherwise of blameless character, who held the views stated? It must be remembered that the evils which are alleged to arise from theatre-going or the use of alcohol differ only in kind from those foreboded from the performance of a ballet. It could hardly be maintained that certain practices might be advocated because the moral evils resulting from them were not quite so great as those flowing from other practices condemned. And it must be admitted that the reason given by the BISHOP of LONDON for refusing leave to officiate in his diocese to Mr. HEADLAM would be of equal weight if urged by a teetotal bishop against a clergyman who saw no harm in following the recommendation of St. PAUL. Nor is it easy to say where any line could be drawn. There are even at the present day persons who believe that tobacco, billiards, or a game of whist, are alike methods of temptation, designed by the Evil One for ensnaring the souls of humanity. It may be said that this is a *reductio ad absurdum* of a serious question. It is not so; for anyone who thinks for a moment will probably be able to recall cases where careers have been ruined and whole lives thrown away by indulgence in all or any of these amusements. Instances have even been known of persons who have ended miserably in consequence of a too great fondness for chess, while the evil effects of racing to the weak-minded have become proverbial. We do not, however, condemn these amusements because they have often proved undoubted stumbling-blocks to the weak; nor do we believe that any ecclesiastic who should do so would carry with him the sympathy of intelligent as well as devout members of the community. On civil grounds, moreover, Mr. HEADLAM has a right to complain. He signed no *Index Expurgatorius* of public amusements at his ordination.

If we consider the moral tendency of the particular instance of ballet-dancing, we shall probably find that it consists chiefly in intention. We should be sorry to believe that a form of entertainment which has been widely popular for something like two centuries was essentially sinful and demoralising. Nor do we like to think, as the BISHOP of LONDON seems to think, that ballet dancers are necessarily persons of immodest and wicked lives. That they are not all good cannot be doubted; but neither can it be doubted that there are among them those who make an honest living in all innocence, and get a hearty enjoyment out of an art, which if it be not now regarded as highly as in ancient times, is still sometimes deserving of the name. Those, moreover, who have devoted any study to the amusements of the people, will be most ready to admit that the dancing of to-day is appreciated by them for its skill rather than for its suggestion. A putative sailor, dancing a complicated step in a music-hall will gain as hearty applause from the multitude as the most skilful prima donna who ever pointed her toe at the ceiling of a metropolitan opera-house. That a ballet may be made improperly suggestive is undoubtedly true; but this has little to do with the question; so may a picture, so may a piece of sculpture. Mr. HEADLAM rightly contends that it is not so of necessity, and with a rather fine irony invites the BISHOP to verify his statement at the Alhambra and the Westminster Aquarium. If, then, ballet dancing can be carried on in a properly modest manner, it is difficult to see why the harmless kind of it should be placed in the same category with that which is harmful, and meet with equal condemnation. Ecclesiastical thunders, we may add, are not likely to put an end to this form of amusement at present; and it may be questioned whether a clergyman who indicates to his people the performances which he considers innocent does not do more for the cause of morality than he who sits at home and condemns all equally. His action has, at least, a tendency to make innocuous entertainments the most profitable. The BISHOP, however, lays much stress upon the dress of ballet dancers, and says that when ballet dancers "practise their art in proper clothing the case will be altered." On this point we need merely remark that some of the most objectionable dances are performed in much fuller clothing than that which the exigencies of her art impose upon the ordinary ballet-dancer. In connection with dress, Dr. TEMPLE might find a theme upon which to enlarge in a good many ball-rooms. The quantity of clothing required for dancing in performances before the public will, we hope, be sufficiently regulated by the law.

Though the English money market remains so dear, it is remarkable how colonial stocks not only maintain, but absolutely increase, their value; and how especially the stocks of New South Wales stand pre-eminent at a higher figure than has yet been touched. The 4 per cents. have risen to 112, or interest excluded 111; and the 3½ per cents. without the interest just paid have advanced to 98½. The 4 per cents. are still the stock most favoured by investors, the price paid giving them a return of only £3 10s. 6d. per cent. The price they pay for the 3½ per cents. gives them a return of £3 11s. 6d. per cent. British capitalists still value 4 per cents. at about 25s. per £100 more than 3½ per cents.; as the equivalent of 98½ at 3½ per cent. is only about 109¾ at 4 per cent. it will be seen that despite the scarcity of money capitalists are prepared to lend it on our best securities at a trifle over 3½ per cent. Of course, in view of an early issue of fresh debentures, the position is very satisfactory; and if our Treasurer can keep off the market for a while longer, and in the meantime preserve the public finances in a healthy position, further improvement should be looked for, and our next loan be floated on more favourable terms than have yet been realised. That our 4 per cent. securities should be quoted at 111 against 106½, the price of the Victorian 4 per cents., with Queensland securities at 103½, South Australian at 101, and New Zealand at 99½, indicates British investors' estimate of the value of the stock of New South Wales at the present moment. The very favourable position occupied by this colony in the London money market is probably due to its liberal fiscal policy as well as to its undoubtedly great resources. Abstention from borrowing during the year has materially contributed to the improvement. If it be true as stated that all the 3½ per cent. stock has gone out of first hands, clear proof is given by the present prices that the 4 per cents. are the most favoured stock, and it will become the duty of the Government, in view of an early loan, to consider whether it is well to sacrifice a further large sum of money by giving a preference to the stock which on every occasion, so far, has given smaller results than might justifiably have been anticipated from an issue of 4 per cent. debentures. Still more important is the consideration whether in the light of the rapid improvement in the value of our securities, the next issue should not be for a shorter period than 40 years. At present capitalists are allowed to reap benefit that should come to the colony.

The PRESIDENT of the Victorian Chamber of Manufactures has been making a most pathetic speech at Adelaide before a gathering of manufacturers from various colonies. He is deeply hurt that a feeling is abroad that Victoria desires to pursue a selfish policy, that she wishes to fatten at the expense of the other colonies. This idea was altogether false he declared; the real truth being that Victoria was "animated by a sincere patriotic desire to unite the Australian colonies to prosper with and through each other." He thought it was "sinful" any longer to delay Australian Union. What is the position now? Simply that Victoria, by her tariff, does all she possibly can to prevent New South Wales trading with her, and it is scarcely possible at present to take up a Victorian newspaper without finding news of meetings in Victoria to urge their Government to raise duties still higher. Meeting after meeting has been held of late at which resolutions have been proposed, and carried with acclamation, that the stock-tax should be raised to at least the equivalent of 25 per cent. On our side our entire fiscal policy is one of friendliness and helpfulness to Victoria. We are willing to trade to any amount. What is the position that Victoria asks us to take up? We are to say to England, to the United States, to Canada, to India: "You are to play second fiddle to Victoria." We are expected at the bidding of Victoria to erect a Customs' barrier between ourselves and all the rest of the world except about two millions of people, half of whom live in Victoria. They want to do us good. They love us so much that they would have us believe their kicks are simply proofs of exuberant affection. One would have thought that a speech such as that of Mr. STEINFELD'S would have called forth from any visitor from New South Wales a mild, if not an indignant, protest. But it seems that, on the contrary, several gentlemen from this colony who were present actually rose and expressed approval of the sentiments referred to. Who are these gentlemen who are thus willing to barter away the freedom of this colony? They are some of our manufacturers, though by no means leading ones. In the hope that they themselves might be benefited, they are ready at any moment to assist the Victorians to make the people of New South Wales the victims, if not the slaves, of a handful of Australian manufacturers. The simplicity of some people is remarkable; but for anyone to expect that New South Wales will allow herself to be hoodwinked in the manner proposed is rather too much.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE Premier (Sir Henry Parkes) received a deputation yesterday from the Agricultural Society of New South Wales, who asked for a Government grant of some £6000 to enable them to hold a grand intercolonial show next year. Sir Henry Parkes promised to lay their request before the Cabinet, and gave a similar reply to the representatives of several friendly societies who asked for a piece of land to be vested in the societies for recreation purposes. He informed a deputation from the Field of Mars that their petition praying that that town might be incorporated, would receive attention without delay.

FOUR deputations waited upon the Minister for Works yesterday morning. The first, from residents in the Dural district regarding a proposed railway line from the terminus of the Rosehill private line to Dural and Castlehill, was introduced by Messrs. V. Parkes, F. Farnell, and A. H. M'Culloch, Ms.L.A. They pointed out that a survey was being made from Parramatta to Dural, but they considered that line defective, and asked that a new survey should be made in order to demonstrate which was the better route. Mr. Sutherland promised that a survey should be made at as early a date as possible. Mr. J. G. Swain and other residents desired a railway platform to be erected near Pyrmont Bridge, but the Minister stated that he could not give any definite promise owing to the large amount of goods traffic there. The Mayor and council of Waratah asked for an extension of the tramway from Newcastle to Wickham, Tighe's Hill, and Waratah, and Mr. Sutherland promised to send a surveyor there as soon as possible. In reply to a deputation from the council of Redfern, the Minister promised to make representations to the Government regarding the great convenience that would result from a railway siding at Eveleigh platform; and, in response to a request from Mr. Stevenson, M.L.A., he promised to consider the advisability of dredging Brisbane Water.

JUST as the Legislative Assembly was about to adjourn on Thursday night, Mr. Melville asked the Colonial Treasurer whether the Government had accepted any tenders from Victorian firms for the supply of uniforms for the Metropolitan police and other officials in the Government service for the year 1888. Mr. Burns stated in reply that he had accepted contracts for 1888 for the services in question, and that the whole of these contracts had been taken by manufacturers within the colony of New South Wales. He also added, that with a view to giving the Liverpool paper mills a full opportunity of tendering for the brown paper required by the Government, he had caused the tenders to be in one line for that article; but in consequence of the tender of the paper company being 27½ per cent. in excess of other tenderers, it became his duty to give the contract to the other persons.

THE full text of the bill introduced into the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Schey to declare eight hours to be a legal day's labour is as follows:—"Be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—"1. This Act shall be called and may be cited as the 'Eight Hours Act, 1887.' 2. Unless there shall be an agreement in writing to the contrary eight hours' labour during any day, whether consecutively or otherwise, shall be considered a legal day's labour, and forty-eight such hours shall be considered a week's work in any action at law, suit in equity, or any matter or proceeding (civil or criminal) in any Court of Justice in New South Wales."

IN consequence of the meetings of the select committee appointed to inquire into the purchase of the land at Circular Quay by the Government, Mr. Abigail, who is one of the members of the committee, will be unable to carry out his intention of visiting Lake Urana on Thursday next. The hon. gentleman has accordingly postponed his journey to Riverina until the 20th instant. Arrangements have been made for his reception at Urana, and for entertaining him at a public banquet.

THE Minister for Mines left Sydney yesterday afternoon for Katoomba, where he intends inspecting some public reserves in connection with the management of which some difficulties appear to have arisen. Before settling the disputes Mr. Abigail decided to visit the locality and personally examine these lands, with a view to their being utilised for the public advantage to the fullest extent.

THE question of retrenchment in the Department of Public Works has engaged the attention of the Government for some time, and it will interest a good many people to know the extent to which it has been carried out. In what may be termed the Ministerial branch of the department, there is one position on the staff vacant which it is not intended to fill up at present. Recommendations have been made by the officers in charge of the Harbours and Rivers branch of the Department of reductions in the staff of officers under them which might judiciously be made without impairing the efficiency of the service, and so far as practicable these recommendations have been carried into effect. With regard to the officers in the roads branch, in accordance with a minute by Mr. Lyne, Minister for Works, dated 14th December, 1886, notifying the appointment of commissioners to inquire into the working of the Department of Public Works, the Commissioner for Roads reported that changes and reductions in the office staff of the roads branch might be effected, by which a reduction in number of three officers and a saving of £630 per annum would be made, and this has been done. The field staff was remodelled, and all officers placed on the Estimates, and it was proposed that three should retire, but owing to the late passing of the Estimates, and the unexpected increase of votes by nearly 30 per cent., their services will be required to the end of the year, when two will retire; one must be retained until work is decreased; but a saving of £4851 has been effected this year, which will be increased to £5946 for 1888. The Colonial Architect is having the question of the reduction of his staff under consideration. So far as the railways are concerned, the principal scheme of retrenchment was in the Existing Lines Branch in regard to the maintenance of the permanent way. The engineer responsible for the safety of the line accompanied the suggested scheme with the statement that he was not convinced that in the long run there would be any real economy in the proposed reductions. He says:—"I have hesitated therefore to give full effect to the scheme, more especially in view of the weather experienced during the past season, which has necessarily required more attention to the roadway than at the time the scheme was proposed, but partial effect has been given to it by drafting the men to new extensions as opened instead of taking on new hands. 2. Seven new hands have been appointed since the present Government came into office; the number of permanent way men to the mile of line prior to the present Government coming into office was 0·86; it is now 0·82."

A RETURN has been laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly, shewing the amount of money paid to the Railway Department for the carriage of plant and material by the various railway contractors for extensions for the years 1883, 1884, 1885, and 1886 respectively. The total for 1883 was £9476 6s. 9d.; for 1884, £20,956 19s. 11d.; for 1885, £37,878 14s. 11d.; for 1886, £34,339 1s. 8d.; making a grand total for the four years of £102,651 2s. 10d.

THE following regulation, prohibiting teachers from using outside influence to obtain promotion, removal or other advantage, has just been passed by the Government:—"Teachers are appointed, promoted, and removed on a due consideration of their claims and merits. They are, therefore, prohibited from seeking the interest of influential persons outside the Department to obtain promotion, removal, or other advantage. Any infringement of this regulation will be severely dealt with."

Two amended regulations have been passed by the Government, to be substituted for those relating to the employment of pupil-teachers and to the rent allowances to teachers, of date 12th February, 1886. They are as follows:—"Pupil Teachers: Pupil teachers may be employed to serve not less than four years in any school in which the average attendance has been not less than 50 for the three months preceding, provided that the teacher holds a classification not lower than class II. Rent Allowances to Teachers: In addition to the salaries, residences, vested or rented, will be provided for married men in charge of Public schools, but a residence rented for a married teacher shall be as near as practicable to his school."

THE Government have decided to postpone for the present the erection of the bridge over the River Murray at Mulwalla. Tenders were recently called for the work, and 10 were received, several of them being from Victorian firms. It is thought that the effect of the erection of the structure, which would involve considerable expense to the country, would be to divert the trade of some of the outlying districts to Victorian channels, and as there is no immediate necessity for the bridge, the undertaking has been abandoned. The deposit receipts have been returned to all the tenderers.

MR. STANLEY, the Government Veterinarian, leaves to-day for the far west on a visit to Tintawilogy Run, near Wilcannia, for the purpose of watching the success of some experiments in rabbit destruction, which are being carried out there by Dr. Butcher. It is claimed for Dr. Butcher's system—which practically means the introduction of scab amongst the rabbits—that it sweeps off vast numbers of the pest in a remarkably short space of time. Mr. Stanley will report upon its success as a destroying medium, and also its effect upon other animals with which the rabbits come in contact.

THE numerous friends of Mr. Geoffrey Eagar, Under-Secretary to the Treasury, will regret to learn that in consequence of long-continued indisposition he has been compelled, acting under medical advice, to seek some relaxation from his official labours. Mr. Eagar has obtained leave of absence for three months, and it is hoped that at the end of that time he will be able to return to his post with his health completely restored. During Mr. Eagar's temporary absence his place will be filled by Mr. James Thomson.

OWING to some defects in the working parts of the locomotive attached to the train which left Sydney for Goulburn at 9 a.m. yesterday, the train broke down between Granville and Merrylands station. The traffic was delayed for a time, but arrangements were made with as much dispatch as possible for another engine being sent from Granville to take the train on.

THE Magdalen Refuge at Tempe, Cook's River, is to be opened this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Cardinal Moran, and it is announced that Lord and Lady Carrington and other distinguished persons are to be present at the ceremony, which will be of a public character. The new institution is a branch of the old refuge for women in the city, founded by the Sisters of the Good Samaritan, and carried on by that religious community for over 40 years. At the present time there are, we understand, about 100 women in the Pitt-street establishment, and the Tempe branch will afford accommodation for some 80 more. It is claimed that the institution is Christian and charitable in the broadest sense, no distinction of creed being made in admitting the unfortunate creatures who seek refuge with the Sisters. The increasing number of "penitents" in the city institution made it imperative to provide a larger and more suitable home, and the present house and grounds at Tempe were purchased for the sum of £6800. Since this purchase the Sisterhood has gone to the expense of erecting buildings for working purposes, including an elaborately constructed laundry, these additions costing more than £5000. The aim of the Sisterhood is to make the Tempe establishment self-supporting, and with this end in view all the women who place themselves under the shelter of the Refuge will be expected to contribute in some way to the maintenance of the institution, principally by sewing and laundry work. As an instance of the friendly and sympathetic interest taken in the philanthropic efforts of the Good Samaritan nuns it is stated that all the beds required for the new house have been presented to the institution, a number of Protestant ladies being among the donors. The lady at the head of the Tempe Refuge was for some 29 years in charge of the R. C. Orphanage at Parramatta.

HIS Honor the Chief Justice sat in Chambers at 10 o'clock yesterday, and disposed of several formal applications. At 11 o'clock he took Equity business, but the only suit heard was that of Blair v. Blair, in which the plaintiff sought to obtain a decree for the specific performance by defendant of an agreement for the division of certain property left to them by one James Blair, the parties being the sons of the testator. His Honor granted the decree as prayed. Several divorce applications were subsequently dealt with.

THE sittings of the Metropolitan Quarter Sessions were continued at the Darlinghurst Courthouse yesterday, before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge Murray. Mr. Merewether conducted the prosecutions on behalf of the Crown. A number of prisoners were tried during the day. The most important case dealt with was one in which a young man named James F. Conlin was charged with having embezzled the sum of £19 8s. 10d., entrusted to him whilst he was occupying the position of stationmaster, or officer in charge, at the Yanko railway platform. The prisoner, who was defended by Mr. D. Buchanan, was found guilty, and was remanded for sentence. A list of the cases down for trial on Monday appears in another portion of the paper.

WE understand that it is proposed to erect a powerful fort on the coast at or near the suburb of Bondi. Such a fort would form one of a line of defence works between the entrance to Port Jackson and Botany, or some place further southward, which, in the opinion of many persons, is necessary to keep this portion of the colony free from attack by any hostile fleet. Certain it is that if heavily-armed batteries, fitted with the latest improvements and types of ordnance, were erected on the cliffs between the South Head and Botany Bay there would be little fear of having the city shelled by an enemy in the case of an outbreak of war. Of course if the coastline were fortified from the North Head to Broken Bay the metropolis would be rendered doubly secure from an attack by sea, as it would be well-nigh impossible for an invader to run the gauntlet of a number of batteries. The cliff known as Ben Buckler, situated on the northern side of Bondi Beach, is spoken of as the probable site for the new fortress, which, if erected, would in all probability be armed with 6 or 8 inch guns, mounted on the hydro-pneumatic principle. One or two other places along the coast have been inspected with a view to ascertain whether they would be suitable sites upon which to build forts. Up to the present time, however, the intentions of the Government with reference to the construction of any additional fortifications have not been divulged, and nothing definite is known as to when the fort or forts are to be erected. Probably General Schaw's report would, if made public, throw some further light upon the important subject of coastal defences.

THE majority of the 6-in. guns which arrived in the Cairnbulg some few days ago will, we understand, be mounted on hydro-pneumatic carriages for the harbour defence works. Two of these powerful weapons are to be sent to Newcastle for the purpose of strengthening the defences of that port.

THE Reserves of the New South Wales Volunteer Artillery Regiment will parade to-day in drill order for the purpose of being conveyed to the Heads for shot practice as follows:—No. 11 Battery, at 2.15 p.m., at Mort's Dock Ferry, and No. 12 Battery, at 2.30 p.m., at Dawes Point, where the steamer will be in readiness to take them down the harbour. The second regiment of Volunteer Infantry will parade on the eastern portion of Moore Park at 3.30 p.m. to-day (drill order, with leggings), and the Engineer Corps will assemble at the Victoria Barracks at the same time for instructional purposes.

THE committee of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts held a meeting on Thursday. There were present—Mr. President Dalgrno, in the chair; Messrs. Teece and Osborne, vice-presidents; Mr. Perkins, treasurer; and Messrs. Beaver, Dowling, Holdsworth, Jones, Reid, Renwick, and Ritchie: and apologies were received from Messrs. Seife and Walker. After the transaction of the formal business, new members to the number of 68 were elected, being an increase of four over the corresponding month of last year. The report of the hon. treasurer showed an increase in the receipts for subscriptions for the month of £18 5s. 6d., and for lectures £19 4s. 3d. over the same month last year—the total receipts for the month being £510 12s. Accounts to the amount of £431 6s. 5d. were passed for payment, and some outstanding cheques had to be provided for; but after meeting all these there would still be a credit balance of £101 17s. 2d.; and to this might be added a sum of £271 12s. 3d. due to the institution, and which would be received in a few days. The report was considered highly satisfactory, and was unanimously adopted. The report of the building committee was read; it explained some of the difficulties that had been met with in arranging the details; it stated that the tender of Messrs. Duncan and Cruickshank had been accepted for the work, and the price, including the extras as arranged by the committee, would be £4200, and the time to be occupied over the work seven months. The treasurer stated that it was necessary to make arrangements for a loan of £4000; he did not consider that more would be required, as they had now nearly £900 invested and at credit in the bank, and by the time the money was required to meet the expenses of the improvements it might be expected that the sum on hand would be about £1400. The president and treasurer were then authorised to obtain a loan of £4000. An application from a suburban School of Arts for the loan of lantern slides was granted at the usual fee, £1 1s. per set.

A PUBLIC meeting in the cause of protection was announced to be held last evening at the Town-hall, Petersham, under the auspices of the Canterbury Protection League. The meeting had been extensively advertised throughout the district by means of bills and posters, but at 8 o'clock only about a dozen persons were congregated in the vicinity of the hall, among them being Mr. David Buchanan, who, it was understood, was to deliver an address in the cause of protection. At a quarter-past 8 about a score of people had scattered themselves over the various parts of the large and well-lighted hall, and a few minutes later Mr. J. W. Watkin, president of the Ashfield branch of the league, stepped on to the platform and expressed his regret at the paucity of the attendance, adding that under the circumstances Mr. Buchanan had declined to deliver an elaborately prepared address. It looked very much to him (Mr. Watkin) as if the question of protection was not a burning question in Petersham. Under all the circumstances, and considering the very small attendance, the proposed meeting would not take place; but if any of those present chose to join the Ashfield branch of the league, he should be very glad to enrol their names, otherwise he should bid them good-night, and they might depart to their several homes. One of the audience remarked that Mr. Buchanan had slandered the working-man while in England, and that was why they stayed away from the meeting. Mr. Watkin then proceeded to attack the Sydney press for its alleged unfair treatment of the question of protection, after which he intimated that they could disperse, unless any of them had anything to say to pass away the time; upon which Mr. Richardson ascended the platform with a big roll of papers under his arm, and spoke at some length in favour of protection. The few people present afterwards departed.

A MEETING of the Cook's River Ward Ratepayers' Association, Marrickville, was held on Thursday evening, in the Primitive Methodist Church, Renwick-street, to take into consideration the two resolutions given notice of at last meeting. The first was, that it is desirable to alter the night of meeting. The members were unanimous, and it was decided to alter the night of meeting from the first Monday to the first Thursday in each month. The second resolution was, that it is desirable that this association should take steps to select a representative to the Municipal Council for this ward. Mr. Webster moved, and Mr. Stanley seconded the resolution. The following gentlemen spoke in support of the motion:—Messrs. Green, Macadam, Smith, Jones, and Dr. Fawcett. The president said this matter required to be seriously thought out, and thought it would be well for this association to have a thorough understanding with the candidate as to how far they were willing to go with their assistance. The resolution was carried unanimously. It was resolved that this meeting resolve itself into a committee of the whole to carry the above resolution into effect. It was decided that all nominations of candidates for selection by this association be handed in in writing at the next meeting night, and that it shall be open for anyone to nominate a candidate. It was decided that three of those be selected from the names submitted for further consideration, and that the ward be canvassed as to which of those three would be most desirable to the majority. Twenty-four gentlemen gave in their names as members of the committee.

THE committee of the Animals' Protection Society held their monthly meeting on Wednesday last. There were present: Messrs. E. Fosbery (presiding), W. Beaumont, B. Cocks, A. W. Gilles, J. Horbury Hunt, C. E. Riddell, C. H. Myles, J. Sidney (the secretary), and Inspector G. Webber. A letter was read from Miss Levvy, hon. secretary to the Bands of Mercy of New South Wales, asking if the committee would take a certain number of the Band of Mercy Magazine for distribution among the school children. It was agreed to take 100 copies monthly. The inspector submitted his monthly report, the most noticeable fact was the illusage of live stock improperly conveyed by sea coastwise, a recent case brought under his notice showing gross neglect in not providing proper accommodation, and care for the safety of the animals. Summary of the society's work for the month: prosecutions, 18; convictions, 14; two cases dismissed, two withdrawn. Analysis of convictions: working horses suffering from wounds, 6; working decrepit and lame horses, 6; leading horses unfit to move, 2. Complaints received 6, cautions issued 31.

THE Woollahra Literary and Debating Society held its weekly meeting on Wednesday evening, in the Oddfellows' Hall, Queen-street, Mr. George Grice, vice-president, in the chair. The business for the meeting was a mock-parliamentary election, at which three candidates presented themselves, two protectionists and one freetrader. They were each duly proposed and seconded, and gave their opinions upon the many pressing questions of the day. The show of hands was in favour of the freetrader, and a poll was demanded. The ballot resulted in Mr. A. Rickard, the free trade candidate, being elected by a large majority.

THE St. Leonards Literary and Debating Society held its weekly meeting on Wednesday last, at the office of Messrs. Oatley and Cahill, 120, Elizabeth-street, the president (Mr. T. G. Brocklehurst) being in the chair. Mr. W. K. Keyte (editor) read the monthly magazine, "The Critic." The following articles were contributed:—"The Editor's Preface;" "Brevities," a few paragraphs of local interest; "The Sunday Drink Traffic," suggested by the recent report of the commission: "Our Meetings;" "Wild Flower Shows," a criticism of the wholesale "butchery" of wild flowers; "Employment, and the want of it," dealing with the ever-vexed question of Government relief works; "Waifs and Strays of Sydney," with suggestions as to remedies; and "Life in Adelaide," being personal experiences. Two articles were unavoidably postponed owing to limited time, but the whole of those read received general criticism, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

THE first annual meeting of All Saints, Petersham, Young Men's Institute was held on Thursday evening last, the chair being occupied by the president, Rev. Chas. Baber. The reports of the treasurer and secretary were received and adopted, the former showing the financial state of the society. The election of office-bearers resulted in Messrs. W. Crane, J.P., W. Wilson, and F. A. Terry being made vice-presidents; Mr. W. Woodd, hon. treasurer; Mr. A. E. Carfrae, hon. secretary; and Rev. E. Smith and Messrs. Loveridge, Downing, Toms, and B. Holland, members of the committee. Votes of thanks were passed to the late office-bearers, and special thanks were accorded to the president, and late vice-president, Rev. A. C. Corlette, who is about to leave the district.

A VERY successful musical and elocutionary entertainment in connection with the Croydon Literary and Debating Society was held on Tuesday evening last in Croydon Congregational school-hall. The building was tastefully decorated for the occasion with evergreens, flags, and flowers. Amongst those friends who contributed to the enjoyment of the evening were Mrs. Docker, the Misses Goulding, Bayne Flint, and Watts, who sang several solos, glees, &c. Miss Pomeroy and Mr. E. L. Sutton also gave a duet on piano and organ, the Misses Slades duets on the piano. Messrs. Reeves, Stevens, Thompson, Abbotts, sen. and jun., with Mr. Druce, gave several recitations, which were much enjoyed.

THE Rev. Edward David Madgwick, incumbent of St. Thomas's, Balmain West, has been presented to the incumbency of St. Michael's, Surry Hills, vacant by the resignation of the Rev. Canon King. The appointment will take effect on 1st proximo.

THE last of a three-days' sitting of the second annual Christian Convention in connection with the Sydney Ministers' Union was held in the New Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, last night, Mr. J. T. Miller in the chair. The subject for the evening was "The offices of the Holy Spirit in the individual." The meeting was addressed by the Revs. A. J. Clarke, J. A. Browning, and J. M'Neil. Occasion was taken by the Rev. A. J. Clarke, in the course of his address, to denounce prevailing vice, and to deplore the fact that the churches are not reaching the teeming masses. It was pointed out that a downright Holy Ghost revival was needed to leave its stamp on the national character, and that the power of Pentecost was available not alone for Jerusalem, but was with us at the present day. The meetings were fairly well attended.

THE Rev. Father Tranquillino Volpe, who is leaving shortly for San Francisco, was a few evenings since the recipient of a valedictory testimonial in the form of an address and a sum of £120, raised by private subscription in the district of Burwood. The rev. gentleman has been connected with the R. C. Church at Burwood for over three years, and in the address which was presented (and which it may be remarked had been illuminated by Mr. J. Fitzjohn Hall in very artistic fashion), allusion was made to the zealous and satisfactory performance of his priestly duties during that period, and regret was expressed at his departure from the colony. Mr. Justice Faucett read the address on behalf of the parishioners, and the presentation of the money gift was accompanied by some highly complimentary remarks.

BETWEEN 40 and 50 gentlemen assembled last evening at Mr. P. Larkin's hotel, Haymarket, for the purpose of presenting Mr. R. A. Norris, late manager of the Haymarket branch of the Australian Joint Stock Bank, with a testimonial and purse of sovereigns upon the occasion of his severing his connection with that institution. Mr. Alban J. Riley (Mayor of Sydney), in a most eulogistic speech, made the presentation on behalf of the subscribers. The address, which was from the establishment of Messrs. John Sands, and as an artistic piece of caligraphy reflected great credit, stated,—"To Richard A. Norris, Esq., late manager Australian Joint Stock Bank, Haymarket branch. Dear sir,—Your many friends and well-wishers cannot allow the occasion" (that of severing his connection with the bank) "to pass without testifying to your exceptional business qualifications, and the many disinterested acts of courtesy we have experienced at your hands during your management," &c., and concluded by wishing success in whatever sphere of life Mr. Norris might be engaged. The address was signed by Alban J. Riley, Sydney Burdekin, W. M'Donald, Seaforth Procter, J. J. Toohey, J. Murphy, J. J. Carroll, J. P. Larkin, Mick Simmons (hon. treasurer), F. J. Cahill (hon. secretary), and others, on behalf of the committee. Mr. Norris suitably responded, and thanked all those around him for the exceedingly handsome address and purse of sovereigns (£260) which they had been pleased to present him with; the occasion was one which would ever remain a green spot upon his memory; he could but very poorly express his deep gratitude to the committee, subscribers, and to Mr. Riley for presiding. Mr. Norris's health was afterwards drunk, and a vote of thanks to the Mayor and to the committee brought the proceedings to a termination.

ON Thursday the No. 6 L. O. L. commemorated their 22nd anniversay in the Temperance Hall, Gladesville, and from all points the meeting was as unqualified success. R. W. G. M. Rev. E. D. Madgwick occupied the chair, and was supported by Bro. Robinson, D.C.S., Bro. Alexander, the oldest member of the society in the colony, and many visiting brethren. The Rev. Mr. Lumsdaine and the Rev. H. H. Britten occupied seats on the platform. The audience was large and appreciative, and one of the finest gatherings ever seen in the hall. An address by the chairman on the advantages of the institution was a powerful one, and listened to by the audience who showed their appreciation of it by the enthusiastic manner in which it was received. Mr. Edwards sang "No Surrender" and "I'll Conquer or Die." Suffice to say this gentleman was in his best form, and fairly brought the house down by his admirable rendering of both songs. Misses Bayfield, Calloway, and Earle sang during the evening in the most pleasant manner. The Rev. Mr. Lumsdaine gave a sound address on "Protestantism." Messrs. Short, Godfrey, Fearnley, and Leigh contributed largely to the success of the evening by their duets and songs. Miss Trivett, as accompanist, won universal praise.

THE Executive of the Great Synagogue, Hyde Park, have decided to mark the approaching centenary of the colony in a manner which is as distinctive as it is excellent. They intend to inaugurate an annual hospital Sunday service for the benefit of the metropolitan hospitals, the first of which will take place on Sunday, January 29.

A LETTER has been received by the Hon. H. E. Cohen from his Excellency the Governor, informing him that the address to the Queen from the Jewish community of New South Wales on her having attained the completion of the 50th year of her reign had been received, "and the beautiful casket in which it was enclosed has been laid before her Majesty, and the Secretary of State has been commanded to convey to the Jewish community her thanks for their loyal congratulations, which she much appreciates."

MR. CHARLES FORREST, of Stanmore, writes to suggest that the Newtown and Petersham boroughs should combine, and instead of allowing the refuse of the districts to endanger health, should treat it by fire, as is successfully done in cities and large towns on the Continent.

"SUBSCRIBER" writes: As a contributor to the funds of the Randwick Asylum, I should be glad to learn somewhat more in connection with the resolution which appears in the *Herald* of Thursday, as moved by Mr. Penfold, namely:—"That the sum of £1000, out of a balance of nearly £4000, be transferred from the funds in the Savings Bank to the general account." I would like to know if this £4000 represents special donations or legacies, and if so, can the same be appropriated in this manner? But what appears to be the strangest part of the report is that furnished by the medical officer, in which he says:—"Eighteen children were discharged from the hospital, and at present there were (sic) 38 remaining in the hospital. The general health of the children during the month had been very good." How the health of the 270 children can be termed "very good" when 56 have been inmates of the hospital during the month, and say 14 per cent. are still under treatment therein is, to say the least of it, puzzling, and calculated to convey to the general public the idea of general unhealthiness. Neither does this percentage of hospital patients agree with the latter part of the report, which dilates on the "excellent and robust appearance of the children," which "may very largely be attributed to the abundance of pure milk and vegetables" received from the farm. With respect to parents and children being allowed to correspond by letter, the public have been led to believe that such a regulation has been in existence for many years past; now it would appear from the report that it is, comparatively, a new regulation. The same may be said of the "privilege" of parents visiting their children. In years past parents were more privileged in this respect being allowed to see their children on any day they applied to the authorities for permission.

WE have received another letter from our correspondent "Yitzchak" on the subject of the Jews and their literature. He replies to some of the strictures passed by other correspondents on his first letter, and then, referring particularly to the works of Maimonides, he says:—"There is in the London institution in Finsbury Circus an English translation of his laws of the Hebrews relating to the poor and the stranger. In the British Museum I have seen a translation in English of the *More Nevuchim*. There is also in existence an English translation of his precepts, and a Latin translation, *De Jeuve pauperis et peregrini apud Judæos*, with the Hebrew text and, I think, the explanatory notes in English. In regard to the Jewish boys, he flatly contradicts the statement that many of the Jewish boys in this city are able to read and translate fluently the Bible and the Prayer-book, except they have been taught elsewhere."

A CORRESPONDENT signing himself "W. W." writes in support of the proposition that the Moore Park pond, near the Association Cricket Ground, should be made suitable for model yachting. He says that there are numbers of model-yacht enthusiasts in Sydney, and it is nothing but fair that they should have one sheet of water at least, and that water should be fresh and pure. The "city fathers" ought to see to this at once. To show how matters of this kind are dealt with elsewhere, he refers to a report in the *Model Yachtsman*, in which it is shown that after hearing a request from a deputation of yachtsmen for the construction of a pond and boathouse in West Park, Hull, the Hull Park committee expressed their thorough approval of the scheme, and passed a resolution that the borough engineer report upon the cost to the next meeting. The deputationists, in support of their request, pointed to the action of the Prince of Wales towards the Serpentine clubs, that of the Metropolitan Board of Works towards the Clapham Club, and also to the facilities granted at Liverpool, &c.

IN speaking of the general election which has just closed in New Zealand, the Wellington *Times* of September 30 says:—The scrutiny for the Waikaia electorate has resulted in putting out Captain Mackenzie, a "Doubtful," and putting in his opponent, Mr. H. S. Valentine, by a majority of one, thus securing another safe vote for the Opposition. This makes the respective numbers—Opposition, 54; Ministerial, 38; Doubtful, 3; thus increasing the majority against Ministers to 13 certain and 19 probable. It is interesting to compare the election returns, now complete, with the division on the non-confidence motion passed in May last. When the debate on that motion came to an end just after midnight of the 27th May, 42 gentlemen voted that the tariff and other financial proposals of the Government were unsatisfactory, and 38 against it, and for the second reading of the Customs Duties Bill. Of the 42, 27 have been re-elected. Of the remaining 15, six did not seek re-election, and the other nine were defeated. Six members paired for the non-confidence motion, and of these four were re-elected and two defeated. Twenty-seven also of the 38 who voted with the Government were re-elected. Two, however, were returned on the Opposition ticket. Of the remaining 11, four did not seek re-election, and the other seven were defeated. Only one of the six pairs was re-elected. Reckoning the members who paired as having voted, 48 supported the non-confidence motion, and 31 of them have been re-elected; 44 opposed it, and 28 have been re-elected.

THE Vavau (Tonga) correspondent of the *Fiji Times*, writing on August 26 on the subject of the persecution of Wesleyans in the group, says:—"The way in which all those friendly to the Wesleyans, or who it is supposed are desirous of becoming Wesleyans, are coerced by the Government is shameful, and not less shameful because done in such an underhand way. Finau Lahi, mentioned in last month's letter as having recommenced the persecution here, instead of being reprimanded by the authorities has been promoted from a constable to the position of an inspector of police; and another man, formerly magistrate here, who behaved himself so badly that he was dismissed from the Government employment, has again been taken into favour and made a

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judge. He has been sent, together with Finau Lahi, to the Niuas to tyrannise over the people there, and keep them from becoming Wesleyans. A fortnight since I was present in the police court. Seven or eight cases were tried, in which the parties were charged with having stated that the complainant was a Wesleyan. This heavy offence being proved they were all mulcted in a fine of £3 or £4 each. One of the defendants appealed to the higher Court, but only to have the fine confirmed, and thus the fact was established by these two Courts, that to be called a Wesleyan was to be called something infamous, and that anyone using such an epithet to another was guilty of scandal, and as such subject to fine or imprisonment. All the parties concerned in these cases, complainant and defendants, were members of the so-called Free Church. The complainant was a Government official and clerk of the Court. That the magistrate here should pass such a sentence is scarcely to be wondered at when it is borne in mind that one of our Wesleyan ministers in Tongatabu was sentenced to two years' imprisonment, which he is yet serving, by Tongatea, for simply stating that, when in Auckland, Mr. Baker went to the Wesleyan Church, which was but the truth."

The *Fiji Times* says:—"Time has brought about the jubilee of the Roman Catholic Church in this colony. Father Lepeit, the resident priest here, proceeded to Levuka on September 12 by the French man-of-war, for the purpose of being present at the celebration of the event, and as many of the clergy as can be gathered from the other parts of the group will also assemble. This interesting occurrence can but prove grateful to the feelings of those who are members of the oldest of the Christian denominations; and the memory of the hardships undergone and the services rendered by the pioneers of the faith here will be vividly brought home to the recollections of those who may gather to do honour to so memorable an epoch in the history of Roman Catholicism. On such an occasion, the devotion, unostentatious piety, charitable work and God-fearing life of the Rev. Father Breheret. Prefect Apostolique, can but be borne in mind. More faithful priest and truer gentleman never breathed. Sublime in his self-imposed obligation of poverty, the riches of the rev. Father's generous and charitable heart are unspeakable. Knowing no difference of creed or clime, his large-minded beneficence has caused him to view distress as the claim and bond of brotherhood, and to acknowledge as an obligation the duty of bestowing relief and consolation wherever they might be needed. This jubilee will be cause indeed for him to rejoice; but no less so will it be to his co-religionists, in the reflection that the chief minister of their faith here has proved himself so worthy a representative of the truths which ennoble the practice of true Christianity in its highest form."

That notoriously popular poison "Rough on Rats" claimed another individual as a victim, yesterday evening, the event happening in the Sydney Hospital, to which institution the patient had been conveyed a few hours prior to his death. The name of the deceased is Samuel Alexander Marsh, who resided at No. 21, Wood's-lane, Woolloomooloo. On his admission to the hospital at noon he was found to be suffering from the effects of arsenical poisoning. The stomach pump and the usual antidotes were therefore promptly brought into operation. The sufferer, however, only lingered till 4.30 p.m., at which hour he died in great agony. He has lately been employed on the relief works at National Park, and left home at an early hour yesterday, apparently with the intention of going to attend to his duties. He, however, returned home at about 9 o'clock, and told his wife that he had purchased some "Rough on Rats" at a chemist's shop in George-street, and that he very soon afterwards consumed the preparation, and "washed it down with some beer." It appears that on the preceding day his wife took a box of the poison in question from him. An inquest in connection with the man's death will be held to-day.

At an early hour yesterday morning a man named Albert Hebday, aged 23, an upholsterer, was admitted to the Sydney Hospital suffering from bruises on the head and having the left ear nearly severed. The accident is supposed to be due to the man having been run over, but the patient could not explain the matter in any way. On Thursday a man named Joseph Richardson, a house painter, aged 38, and residing at No. 20, Chapman-street, Moore Park, fell from a ladder on which he was working, a distance of 30 feet, and suffered bruises and internal injuries, for which he is being treated at the Sydney Hospital.

Mr. Ernest Needs has been appointed conductor of the ballroom orchestra to his Excellency the Governor.

In our report of the result of the Senior Public Examinations, which appeared in our columns last Wednesday, it was said that one pupil from Wellesley College, Newtown passed. This should have been two, as will be seen by referring to the details given.

The following is the order of service at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday next:—Morning, 11 a.m.—Te Deum, Dykes, in F.; Anthem, "O! Taste and See" (Sullivan). Afternoon, 3.15 p.m.—Magnificat, Winchester in F; Anthem, "What are These" (Stainer).

The sixteenth anniversary services of the Cleveland-street Wesleyan Sabbath school will be preached to-morrow by the Revs. J. Austin and J. H. Fletcher, in the morning and evening respectively. A flower service will be held in the afternoon, when the Rev. J. Woolnough will deliver an address. The annual public meeting will be held on Monday night, when several speeches will be made, in addition to which an attractive programme of music will be presented.

We have received the following subscriptions in aid of the man Charles Corlett, who so bravely distinguished himself in atttempting to save a girl named Kain from burning on the 29th September, and who, in consequence of his exertions, suffered from a paralytic stroke:—William Russell, £1; T. H. Paige, £1 1s.

We understand that the public dinner to Mr. J. Henniker Heaton, M.P. (England), which takes place on Monday evening next, at the Town Hall, promises to be a marked success. The committee-list published in another column, comprises about 150 names of the leading public men and citizens. His Worship the Mayor will preside. The Hon. Sir John Robertson, K.C.M.G., will propose the toast of "Our Guest," and the Hon. Sir Henry Parkes, K.C.M.G., that of the "Union of English-speaking people throughout the world." Other prominent men will propose and respond to remaining toasts.

Our Children's Homes, Liverpool, will be opened this afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Trains leave Sydney at 1 and 1.55. An extra carriage will be attached to the 1.55 train. Intending visitors can return at 4.12, or remain to tea and return at 6.28. The Hon. E. Vickery, M.L.C., will preside at the opening ceremony, and addresses will be delivered by the Revs. T. B. Tress, C. Olden, and others.

The following is the report of the Benevolent Asylum for the week ending October 5, 1887:—Admitted, 6 women, 10 children; birth, 1; deaths, 2; discharged, 4 women, 6 children; remaining in the home, 89 women, 124 children; total, 213. Provisions distributed: 1851 leaves bread, 1213lb. flour, 558lb. meat, 531lb. sugar, 133½lb. tea, 70½lb. sago, 143lb. rice, 2lb. arrowroot, 91lb. oatmeal. Fresh applications for relief, 12; cases reported by the inspector, 87; in 13 cases the relief was discontinued; in one case the rent money was disallowed. Total number of cases relived, 462.

SMALLPOX IN LAUNCESTON.

TWO FRESH CASES.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

HOBART, Friday.

Two more cases of smallpox are reported from Launceston, one being a child of Watson, whose wife is already in quarantine. A man named Larter was found suffering from the disease, and was sent to the hospital to-day. His family were treated as suspects. Three more houses have been isolated, as the inmates have had communication with the persons now ill. The Government stated in the Assembly to-night that all the doctors have been asked to act as public vaccinators. Every arrangement has been made for strictly carrying out all the necessary precautions. Two cases at Mowbray are reported to be very bad. The rest are doing well.

MELBOURNE, Saturday Morning.

Perrin, the only passenger by the Mangana, which arrived off Williamstown yesterday afternoon, was very anxious to land. The health officer telegraphed to the president of the Central Board of Health for instructions, and received a reply that the passenger could land at the quarantine station at the Heads only. In the meantime Perrin went on board a lighter-boat that was taking off cargo, and underwent fumigation. He then, with his luggage, went on the police boat and landed at the Williamstown Pier, and took tram for Melbourne. On arrival at Melbourne he was intercepted and taken to the King-street Police Station at midnight. He was put into a cab and taken back to Williamstown, where he will be kept in quarantine.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[By Electric Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

THE BANK OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, Oct. 6.

Mr. J. Anderson is a passenger for Adelaide by the P. and O. steamship Carthage. The object of his visit is to inspect the Bank of South Australia, prior to his succeeding Mr. W. G. Cuthbertson. Mr. R. Jones will act as London manager meanwhile.

THE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

LONDON, Oct. 6.

Lord Lytton presided at the meeting of the Bank of Australasia. In his address he declared that there were many signs of improvement in the condition of Australia. The report of the directors was adopted.

PRESENTATION TO A COLONIAL OARSMAN.

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The Thames Rowing Club have banquetted Mr. S. Fairbairn, the well-known oarsman, formerly of Geelong, who has rowed in several winning crews in connection with the club, and who has also on several occasions rowed in the Oxford and Cambridge University boat race. Mr. Fairbairn was presented by the members of the club with a handsome diamond ring.

THE IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

The tender of Messrs. Mowlem and Company, for the erection of the Imperial Institute, has been accepted.

FRENCH CONVICTS FOR CAYENNE.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

Five hundred of the worst type of French convicts have been shipped for Cayenne.

THE BRITISH IN BURMAH.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

Advices have been received from Calcutta stating that the Boshweys rebel camp in Burmah has been captured by a body of British troops. The leader of the rebels was killed.

THE CHURCH CONGRESS AT WOLVERHAMPTON.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

At the sitting of the Church Congress at Wolverhampton last night, the Congress discussed the question of the duty of the Church towards emigration.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

THE MAILS.

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The British-India Company's steamer Duke of Buccleuch left to-day for Queensland ports.

THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

EFFORTS TO PRESERVE THE PEACE OF EUROPE.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

BERLIN, Oct 6.

The *North German Gazette*, the semi-official organ of the Government, in commenting on the recent meeting between Prince Bismark and Signor Crispi, declares that Italy and Germany, conjointly with Austria, are resolved to do their utmost to prevent an European war, and, if necessary, they will take joint action to avert any rupture.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 7.

Count Munster, the German Ambassador to France, will close the frontier incident to-day, the French Government having expressed satisfaction at the reparation offered by Germany.

THE BULGARIAN QUESTION.

TURKEY AND RUSSIA.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

An impression prevails that the Turkish Government, in acceding to the Russian proposal for a united and active interference in the affairs of Bulgaria, is merely coquetting with Russia.

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Prince Ferdinand is gaining in popularity amongst the Bulgarian people.

The elections for the new Sobranje take place on Sunday next. The Government expect an immense majority.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN LONDON.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

A destructive fire has occurred at the premises of Messrs. James Shoolbred and Co., drapers and furnishers, Tottenham Court-road. The show-rooms were gutted. The damage is estimated at £200,000.

THE BISHOP OF BATHURST.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The Right Rev. Dr. Camidge, Bishop of Bathurst, will take his departure for Sydney in the Orient R.M.S. Oroya. He has received many presents and addresses.

THE MELBOURNE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

BERLIN, Oct. 6.

The Bundesrath, or Federal Council, has referred Prince Bismarck's proposal for the appointment of a German Commissioner to the Melbourne Centennial Exhibition to a committee for consideration and report, as the various members forming the council have not yet been fully informed of the views of their respective Cabinets on the subject.

DARING CASE OF ROBBERY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Yesterday evening, during the absence from home of Herbert Boyce, builder, at Surrey Hills, a man, about 30 years of age, went to his residence and inquired for him. Mrs. Boyce, who had been left alone in the house with an infant, replied that her husband would return in about an hour. The man then gagged her, tied her hands behind her back, and strapped her to the bedpost. Having ransacked the house, he carried away all the valuables he could find. The police have not succeeded in capturing him.

PROSECUTION OF THE LORD MAYOR OF DUBLIN.

EXCITING SCENE ON THE WAY TO THE POLICE COURT.

THE CASE FOR THE CROWN DISMISSED.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

At the Dublin Police Court to-day the trial of Mr. T. D. Sullivan, M.P., Lord Mayor of Dublin, for publishing reports of the National League meetings in his paper, the *Irish Nation*, contrary to the provisions of the Irish Crimes Act, took place.

Sullivan proceeded in mayoral state to the court, accompanied by the aldermen of the city.

The procession excited immense enthusiasm. Mr. Sexton and the Lord Mayor's secretary, with others, seized the municipal sword which was carried in the procession, and a tussle ensued with the police, the aldermen and priests present shouting 'Bravo! Hold on!" Dr. Kenny urged the police to side with the Lord Mayor. Finally, after considerable parley between Sullivan and the police, order was restored.

The greatest excitement prevailed during the trial.

The case for the Crown was not proved, and was finally dismissed, as the published report which led to the trial referred to a meeting which had been suppressed.

William O'Brien was not present at the trial.

The *United Ireland* is publishing columns of reports of meetings suppressed under the provisions of the Crimes Act.

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The prosecution of William O'Brien has been deferred, pending the result of the appeal of the counsel for the Crown against the verdict of the Court in the prosecution of the Lord Mayor of Dublin. The appeal will be heard in November.

The press, in commenting on the result of the prosecution, severely censure the neglect of the counsel for the Crown.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

A great scene occurred at the Dublin Police Court to-day, on the occasion of the trial of T. D. Sullivan, Lord Mayor of Dublin, for publishing reports of the National League meetings, contrary to the provisions of the Crimes Act, Sullivan proceeded in state to the court, accompanied by the municipal sword-bearer and mace-bearer. The police, however, prevented these officials from sitting near Sullivan, and relegated them to a position in the gallery of the courthouse.

The presiding magistrates summarily dismissed the case. Thereupon the Crown Prosecutor gave notice of appeal.

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In the trial of Sullivan at the Dublin Police Court yesterday the dismissal of the case was due to the absence of proof that the meeting reported in the *Nation* newspaper was a National League meeting. After the trial Sullivan returned in triumph to the Mansion House, accompanied by a number of his supporters. On arrival there he addressed the crowd, and defied the Government.

MOONLIGHT OUTRAGES IN IRELAND.

DISCOVERY OF ATTEMPTED MURDERS.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The police have made a discovery which goes to show that it was the intention of the moonlighters at Kerry to make a widespread attempt upon the lives of the caretakers of farms upon which evictions had taken place.

An informer named Callinan has declared that the late fatal moonlight outrage at Clare was undertaken in consequence of Mr. John Dillon's denunciation of land grabbers in Ireland.

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Callinan, the informer, has admitted that he is a convicted thief and a drunkard, and has been a deserter from the army.

THE QUEENSLAND PARLIAMENT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

BRISBANE, Friday.

In the Assembly, to-day's sitting was principally occupied with a discussion on a motion that the House at its next sitting go into committee to consider the adoption of the report of the select committee on the claim of E. B. C. Corser, of Maryborough, in respect to compensation for land resumed for railway purposes. The Railway Arbitrator awarded £273, while the select committee consider that Mr. Corser is entitled to £2360. In the course of the debate strong comments were made on the alleged incompetence of the Railway arbitrator. Eventually the motion was passed, on the understanding that the amount is to be reduced in committee. The Premier promised that the position of Railway arbitrator shall be taken into consideration by the Government. The House adjourned at 10 o'clock.

THE MARITIME LABOUR DIFFICULTY AT PORT ADELAIDE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

ADELAIDE, Friday.

There is some speculation as to the course the Adelaide Steamship Company will take in respect to the steamer Flinders. The crew are on board, but they have refused to sign articles with a non-union captain. The same remark applies to the cooks and stewards should the company succeed in getting an outside crew. All the vessels will be dealt with by the labour bodies as they arrive in port. Should the company lay their vessels up, ketches will be busier in the coasting trade.

This afternoon a conference of shipowners and members of the Maritime Council was held at Port Adelaide to discuss the difficulty in connection with vessels in the intercolonial trade. Both sides presented their views on the position of affairs. After a somewhat lively discussion, the conference resulted in no satisfactory determination being arrived at. The steamer Adelaide will be at once laid up. Her passengers and cargo will be taken by the Gambier to Melbourne on Saturday. It is expected that other intercolonial steamers will also discontinue work shortly.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

In reference to the shipping dispute in Adelaide, it appears that the Adelaide Steamship Company consulted the Steamship Owners' Association of Melbourne, and on their advice determined not to employ any masters or officers belonging to the association recently formed in South Australia on its present basis. The Steamship Owners' Association undertook to pay any penalties the Adelaide Steamship Company might incur for breach of contract to carry coal for the South Australian Government and the Western Australian mails.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Government have stopped the issue of naturalisation papers to Chinese immigrants. There is no intention at present of increasing the poll-tax on Chinamen coming to the colony.

The Central Board of Health will, in the course of a few days, review their decision with respect to the detention in quarantine of vessels direct from Launceston to Melbourne, providing there is an improvement in the condition of affairs in Tasmania sufficient to warrant a relaxation of the restrictions now imposed. The schooners Falcon and Isabel were released from quarantine to-day. The Mangana arrived to-day at the outer anchorage of Williamstown to discharge and ship cargo. The only passenger on board was not allowed to land. No fresh information has been received from Tasmania by the Central Board of Health. The Mararoa and Southern Cross have been released from quarantine, no symptoms of disease being observed among the passengers and crews.

On account of the extraordinary increase in crime in Melbourne and suburbs, 80 additional men are to be appointed in the police force.

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BRISBANE, Friday.

A proclamation has been issued further suspending for six months the provisions of certain sections of the Scab Act in respect to sheep introduced from New South Wales.

Twelve French escapees left under escort by the Cintra at noon to-day, for Sydney, en route for New Caledonia.

The will of the late Hon. W. Miles was proved to-day. The real estate was sworn at £10,280, and the personal estate at £52,222.

The steamer Jumna takes 2000 bales of wool from Townsville.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The Technological Museum of Sydney has received a first award at the Exhibition, for a collection of samples of wool of the Australian colonies, in greasy, washed, and scoured; and also for samples of the manufactured article in its various stages.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN NEW ZEALAND.

[By Cable.]
(From our own correspondent.)

AUCKLAND, Friday.

Major Atkinson asked Sir George Grey to accept the Premiership, but the latter has declined. He will, however, support Major Atkinson. Sir Frederick Whitaker is also disinclined to accept the position of Premier.

A meeting of the Opposition was again held to-day, and an excellent feeling prevailed. No definite decision was arrived at. Another meeting will be held to-morrow, when it is believed that Major Atkinson will be accepted as leader, and the composition of the Ministry will be agreed to.

It is rumoured that Major Atkinson has promised retrenchment to the extent of £300,000, and that he proposes raising £200,000 by the sale of Crown lands.

CONFERENCE OF CHAMBERS OF MANUFACTURES.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The Conference of Chambers of Manufactures resumed its sittings to-day. Mr. Steinfeld presided. Mr. Wright, of New South Wales, moved,—"That the delegates now attending this first Conference for the promotion of reciprocity between the colonies do now form themselves into an Australian Federal Union, with powers of amalgamation and affiliation." The motion, he said, would lead to practical results from the labours of the conference. Mr. Munro (Victoria) and others supported the motion, which was carried. Mr. Munro moved,—"That this conference records its conviction that the laws affecting patent rights should be so amended that protection issued or patents granted in any one colony shall have equal force in all or any of the Australian colonies on payment of registration fees." He trusted the Legislatures of Australia would not delay action in this matter. The feeling of the manufacturers on the question was unanimous. Inventors were often poor men, and every encouragement should be given to them. Mr. L. L. Smith (Victoria) contended that there should be a body of experts, who should act as a grand jury to examine an invention before granting a patent. Mr. Ross (New South Wales) said that the laws should be so altered that patents in Australasia should not hold good unless the articles were manufactured here. (Hear, hear.) After further discussion the motion was carried. Mr. Wright moved,—"That in the opinion of the conference the imposition of countervailing import duties on bounty-fed foreign sugar is absolutely necessary to the continuance and growth of the Australian sugar industry." Mr. Burrows (Victoria) said that the imposition of £6 per ton on beet sugar in Victoria had been productive of good to Australian sugar firms. Mr. Poolman (Victoria) gave a long address on the history of the sugar industry in Australasia. He received a formal vote of thanks. He expressed the opinion that the duty imposed in Victoria would meet all requirements. Mr. A. D. Nelson (New South Wales) supported the motion. Mr. Burrows contended that they must be protected from Chinese competition. Mr. Hoskins (New South Wales) said that if Victoria wanted to foster colonial industries they should admit sugar-cane from New South Wales, as they could not grow it in Victoria. Mr. White (Victoria) said intercolonial free trade would soon determine the question of Chinese competition. The motion was carried.

It was decided that the next gathering should take place in Sydney, on a date to be fixed. The delegates intend leaving Adelaide on Monday.

PROPOSED BUTTER FACTORY AT TARALGA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

TARALGA, Friday.

In response to an advertisement about 20 practical dairymen assembled at Mooney's Argyle Inn to-day. Mr. Loder, having been elected chairman, introduced the subject in a short practical speech, pointing out the necessity for an improved method of making butter. Those present unanimously declared the movement to be of great benefit to the district, and elected Messrs. James Hughes, John Curran, James Dillon, and T. J. Loder a committee to find out all the cost of starting and working the factory, and the probable milk supply, and to report to another meeting three weeks hence.

INCREASE OF RABBITS IN THE BARRIER DISTRICT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

SILVERTON, Friday.

The weather during the day is warm and fine, with beautiful cool nights. The country around is looking at its best. The only drawback to the squatters is the rabbits, which, owing to the magnificent season, are increasing in an amazing manner, and altogether the rabbiters are earning more money than ever. The rabbit inspector reports that during his usual rounds he had 100,000 skins to count at Cawkar's Well this time and 80,000 at Glen Lyon, and he says that every time he goes he gets more. His time is now almost wholly occupied in counting skins.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

WAGGA WAGGA, Friday.

Stock Passings: 700 bullocks (Badgery Bros), from Roma Downs, Queensland to Wodonga; 1 00 bullocks, (Sir Arthur Palmer's), Beaufort Downs, Queensland to Wodonga.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

BATHURST, Friday.

The eleventh annual celebration of the Pride of the West Lodge of Good Templars was held in the William-street Lecture Hall last night. After tea Mr. W. H. Paul, J.P., took the chair, and addresses were delivered by the Revs. S. J. Foster, R. Foster, and Matthew Burnett. Musical selections were rendered, and a pleasant evening was passed by those present.

BOURKE, Friday.

Dr. Dunne, Bishop of Wilcannia, arrived by train last night, and was met by a long string of fours-in-hand and pairs at the station, with the local band.

CARCOAR, Friday.

The weather is frosty in the mornings. Grass is everywhere in abundance, and the crops are looking well. Stock keep in splendid condition.

COOTAMUNDRA, Friday.

Rain fell this week, giving welcome moisture to the land and crops, after nearly a month's dry weather. 105 points were recorded. The total for the year is 29 inches.

Shearing is busy. Pastoralists are greatly pleased with the prospects.

Mr. N. B. Downing is announced to speak here on free trade. Much interest is taken in the question, and a large meeting will probably be held.

GRAFTON, Friday.

The land revenue for the past quarter at the Grafton office amounts to £1166 16s. 6d., the principal items being conditional purchases, deposits, £357 12s.; instalments, £163 0s. 6d.; conditional lease rents, £142 2s. 5d.; auction deposits, £180 13s. 6d.

Major-General Richardson is announced to inspect the Grafton Light Horse to-morrow, and the Grafton Infantry Reserves on Monday.

Cases of scarlatina in a mild form are numerous in the district.

GOULBURN, Friday.

The quarter's land revenue amounts to £1912 13s. 8d. It includes auction sales, £178 5s. 3d.; conditional purchases, £291 0s. 6d.; interest on instalments and balances, £495 15s. 6d.; rents on conditional leases, £217 1s.; rents on annual leases, £592 11s. 1d.

GUNDAGAI, Friday.

St. Patrick's new church, at Gundagai will be opened by the Right Rev. Dr. Lanigan, Bishop of Goulburn, on Sunday, 20th November next. The Very Rev. Joseph Butler, Prior of the Carmelite Order, will preach a dedication sermon. In February next the foundation-stone of the new Convent of Mercy at Gundagai will be laid. Several bishops have promised to attend, including the Most Rev. Dr. Moran, Bishop of Dunedin.

It has been decided to hold a plain and fancy dress ball for the benefit of the Gundagai Hospital, under the auspices of the local Oddfellows' Lodge. The date has been fixed for the 28th instant.

The weather is fine.

URANA, Friday.

A public meeting was held here last night, Mr. B. Culley, J.P., in the chair, in reference to the approaching visit of the Minister for Mines and party. It was decided to entertain them a banquet on Saturday, the 15th instant.

An inch and a half of rain fell last week.

WAGGA WAGGA, Friday.

The Borough Council last evening determined to offer the proprietor of the local gasworks £12,000 for the purchase of the works. In the event of the offer being refused, the council will erect new works. A loan of £10,000 has been offered at 6 per cent.

THE PASTORAL RENTS IN THE NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

ARMIDALE, Friday.

A numerously-attended private meeting of Crown and conditional lessees was held to-day to consider the question of the exorbitant and indiscriminating rents placed by the Minister on all qualities of Crown lands. It was decided to call a general public meeting of land-holders on the 20th instant, at which full expression could be given to their views. It was also determined to propose the formation of a pastoral and electoral union for the object of securing the return of men to Parliament who will represent the landed interest in this important district.

MINERS' GRIEVANCES AT NEWCASTLE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

At a meeting of Minmi miners a motion was carried by 95 to 7 that all members of the H. R. Miners' Association give 14 days' notice to cease work until all grievances are settled; and that the Minmi lodge claim a ballot on the same as early as possible. Many were of opinion that a general strike was the only thing to bring about a general settlement of grievances. The discussion resulted in the above motion being carried.

ARRIVAL OF THE NEW STEAMER ELECTRA AT CORAKI.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

CORAKI, Friday.

The Clarence and Richmond River Steam Navigation Company's new steamer Electra arrived here at 4 o'clock this afternoon. At the invitation of Captain Storey a number of gentlemen proceeded down the river to meet her. On arrival at the wharf she was inspected by a large number of people, after which an adjournment was made to Pain's Hotel, where Mr. W. Yabsley, J.P., proposed,—"Success to the Company and the Electra, and the health of the captain, Mr. H. Creer," who responded. Mr. Allt proposed,—"Prosperity to the Richmond River District;" and Mr. Dickinson proposed,—"Success to the Town of Coraki." The Electra shortly afterwards left for Lismore.

CENTREBOARDS IN THE ROYALS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I have been hoping some other and more ready writer than myself would take up the question of centreboards and their proportions, and being very busy, have delayed till now. With your permission, however, I will try to answer "Selvagee's" two queries—"Has beam been lost sight of in the new rule? and does it exclude yachts under 10 tons?"

The rule of the Y. R. A. does not in any way tax beam, it is left entirely to the choice of the designer to give a racing yacht any beam he pleases, and that beam will be just as much as he thinks necessary to carry the canvas he proposes to put over her, which is merely a matter of a few figures and a twist or two of the planimeter, and not, as "Selvagee" seems to think, a matter left to the taste and fancy of the sailmaker; he has simply to carry out his instructions.

The new rule does not exclude yachts under 10 tons from its list, but it does not allow yachts with centreboards of less than 10 rating to compete in its races.

The word "ton" in racing matters is a thing of the past. Yachts are rated by the new rule, simply at such and such a number—10, 20, and so on. The use of the word "ton" was an unfortunate mistake, and will, I hope, be put right at the next meeting, it that be not possible under the rules, it really matters little, the meaning is the same, whether you call a vessel 10 tons or 10 rating.

With respect to other parts of "Selvagee's" letter and his suppositious beam, all I can say is that if his 35-feet centreboard yacht was not able to carry 1800 feet of canvas she would not win, nor would his broad shallow one "lightly sparred," so the rating rule does not apply, it only has to do with racing yachts. I am, &c.,

WALTER REEKS,
Official measurer R. S. Y. S.

THE RABBIT BONUS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The bonus of £25,000 is evidently not intended for a poor man to get hold of, and unless there are some alterations made in the conditions I don't believe a proper specific will be discovered.

The greatest objections to the terms are—first, exposure of your specific to the department; and, secondly, the owner of such specific will have to try the same for twelve months at his own expense. Some means should be provided by the department for trying such specifics on a small scale and if found suitable, to give full assistance to trying it on a large scale, the outlay to be deducted from the bonus. By this means it would come within the reach of the working-class, and I have no doubt that some remedy will be found which will effectually exterminate the rabbits.

25, Mead-street, Waterloo, October 7. I am, &c.,
SPECIFIC.

Wells's Hair Balsam.—If grey, restores to original colour. An elegant dressing, softens and beautifies. No oil or grease. A tonic restorative. Stops hair coming out; strengthens, cleanses, heals scalp.—[Advt.]

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards, October 7: Fijian (s.), 655 tons, Captain Ernest Henry, for Noumea, Suva and Levuka, and New Hebrides, via Newcastle; Camille, schooner, 221 tons, Captain O. Helgeson, for Kaipara; Barrabool (s.), 558 tons, Captain L. Tindal, for Melbourne; Rodondo (s.), 715 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Leura (s.), 759 tons, Captain W. Ellis, for Brisbane; Royal Tar, barque, 507 tons, Captain D. Walkley, for Eureka, via Newcastle.

The barque Santa, bound from London to Sydney, passed Green Cape at 6 p.m. yesterday. She has under hatches a miscellaneous cargo, and is consigned to Messrs. Briscoe, Drysdale, and Co.

Five barques unknown, the barque Verulam, the 3-masted schooner Thistle, a 3-masted schooner painted white, and a large ship, hull down, passed Green Cape yesterday, all bound north.

Two barques, a ketch painted red, and a schooner painted white, passed Richmond Heads, between the hours of 6 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. yesterday, all bound north.

A steamer, one of the China boats, flying letters Q.K.F.G., passed Jervis Bay at 6 p.m. yesterday, bound north. Probably this was the Changsha, although her letters do not exactly correspond.

The ship Persian Empire and the American barque Penobscot, bound from Melbourne, and the barque Thyatira bound from London to Newcastle, passed Green Cape yesterday.

The barque Carn Tual, bound from Melbourne to Newcastle, passed Green Cape at 3.35 p.m. yesterday.

The steamer Quiraing left Melbourne at 1.30 p.m. on the 5th instant, rounded Gabo Island at 7.20 p.m the 6th, passed Cape St. George at 9.20 a.m. on the 7th, and arrived alongside the Sydney wharf at 5.40 p.m. same date, having experienced light variable wind with fine weather throughout the trip.

A telegram was received in town yesterday by Mr. Cooke, secretary, from the chairman of the C. and R. R. S. N. Company (Mr. T. R. Allt), stating that the Electra arrived at the Richmond River at 8 a.m, after a splendid trip. The vessel proved herself to possess excellent speed. The Ballina people were greatly pleased with the Electra, and a banquet is to be given to the directors at Lismore to-night.

Advices received by last mail state that the ship Windsor Castle, which has been long and favourably known in the trade between London and this port, has been sold by Messrs. Donaldson, Rose, and Co., her owners. She was disposed of on account of being too small for the trade to this port.

The iron clipper Derwent, which has made good progress with the stowage of her rough cargo, in Neutral Bay, will be taken alongside the Central Wharf next week to proceed with her loading for London.

The iron clipper Sir Walter Raleigh, which has all her wool in store, will, it is expected, have it stowed by Wednesday next, when there will be little short of 5800 bales under hatches. The ship was to go on the 10th, so that she will be only two days later than the advertised time. As she has been docked for cleaning and painting, Captain Meston hopes to make the run home even quicker than last voyage, which was accomplished in 79 days.

A deeply laden ship, with painted ports, and a barque, passed Gabo Island at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, bound north.

The M. M. Company's steamer Yarra, hence to Marseilles, via ports, arrived at Adelaide yesterday morning. She continued her voyage at 7.45 p.m.

The inquiry into the Flora-Gabo collision was resumed yesterday, but was not concluded, being adjourned until Monday.

The steam-launch Young Charlie, now in Woolloomooloo Bay, is being fitted with tanks for fishing purposes. Directly the fish are caught they will be placed in these tanks and conveyed to market alive.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Airlie, from Hongkong, will resume her voyage to Adelaide on Tuesday next. She will return from that port via Melbourne.

The barque Alexander Newton was yesterday fixed to load piles at Clarence Town, Williams River, for Melbourne.

The schooner Nellie is to go from Newcastle to Townsville direct, and not come here, as was expected.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Guthrie is to come off Mort's slip this morning, after having new blades fitted to her propeller.

The Gibb liner Pathan left Melbourne last night for Newcastle, where she will, in addition to filling her bunkers, take in the first of her wool for London. She is to be despatched hence on the 15th instant.

The barque Pacific Slope was yesterday taken into Anderson's floating dock, Johnston's Bay, to have certain repairs effected.

The barque Nautilus was floated out of Rountree's Dock yesterday morning, after receiving an overhaul.

The Newcastle, steamer, was taken on to Mort's slip yesterday to be cleaned and painted.

The steamer Rodondo left Melbourne at 2.20 p.m. on the 5th instant, cleared Port Phillip Heads at 6.15 p.m. same date, and arrived in 8 days at 7.30 p.m. on the 7th, having experienced light variable winds and smooth sea throughout.

The schooner May cleared the Heads at 7.25 a.m. yesterday for Newcastle.

The Moreton, for Melbourne, in ballast, did not clear the Heads until 9.15 a.m. yesterday.

As showing the awakened interest that is being felt in the establishment of direct steam communication with the New Hebrides, it may be said that the Aneitium Sawmill Company (a Sydney firm), who commenced the erection of a sawmill on the island just before the French occupation, are despatching by the steamer Fijian, which is to leave here on Wednesday, additional machinery, as well as a manager and his family and three skilled workmen, to complete and carry out the work of the sawmill.

The barque Duleep Singh, from New York, is to be berthed at the Circular Quay to-day.

The barque H. G. Johnson was berthed at Dibbs's wharf yesterday morning.

The steamer Coraki, with a cargo of sugar, crossed the Richmond River bar at 11 a.m. on the 5th instant, and entered the Heads at 8 a.m. on the 7th instant. Experienced fresh southerly winds throughout.

The ship Persian Empire, from Melbourne to Newcastle, passed Gabo island at 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The steamer Barrabool left Brisbane at noon on the 5th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 9.30 a.m. on the 7th. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather to the Clarence, followed by moderate to fresh southerly winds and fine weather, with head sea, to arrival.

The barque Mary A. Troop was berthed at the Circular Quay yesterday afternoon

Owing to Captain F. W. Strickland having been appointed to the steamer Ozone, in Hobson's Bay, and Captain H. B. Bristow having retired from the sea, there will be a number of changes in the commands of Messrs. W. Howard Smith and Sons fleet. Captain W. Ellis, late of the Geelong, is to take the Leura, and Captain Turner, late chief officer of the Rodondo, is to get the Geelong. Captain Seymour, late chief officer of the Leura, will take charge of the Fiado. The others will remain as at present.

The loss of the steamer Perth on her voyage to the North-West settlements, says the *Western Mail* (Perth) of September 3, caused considerable excitement, and we are glad to report that the casualty was unattended with loss of life. The vessel was fully loaded with a general cargo, and we learn that a considerable portion was Government stores, which were uninsured. We have previously alluded to the hardship which owners of goods often have to endure through the delay on the part of the insurance companies in settling for losses. It is a matter for satisfaction to be able to state that the offices having representatives here have been almost uniformly prompt in discharging all equitable claims, and this characteristic has been emphatically indicated by the North Queensland Insurance Company, whose underwriters in this colony announced their intention, immediately on receipt of the intimation of the Perth disaster, to settle all claims therefrom immediately on presentation. Solely in the interests of the mercantile community, we counsel both shippers and importers to satisfy themselves, before entrusting their risks to an insurance company, as to its character for immediate local payment of all just claims.

The schooner Mary Ogilvie is to sail this morning for Lord Howe and Norfolk Islands and New Britain.

THE RESULTS OF A WAVE.

The schooner Darcy Pratt, which arrived yesterday from Whangaroa, New Zealand, with a freight of kauri, was very roughly handled in a severe gale which she encountered soon after leaving, and sustained a considerable amount of damage. Captain J. H. Smith, who was formerly master of the barque Mary Ann Annison, is in command, and reports that the Darcy Pratt sailed on the 14th September and met with light westerly winds and fine weather for two days, at the end of which time the vessel was off the Three Kings. The wind then veered to the eastward, and rapidly increased, until it was blowing a heavy gale, accompanied with terrific squalls and a tremendous confused sea, which kept the deck of the little vessel continually flooded. As the sea was very dangerous, an oil bag was hung over the stern, and for a time it seemed as if this would be effective in preventing the heavy water from coming on board. At about 1 o'clock on the morning of the 16th, however, a tremendous wave rose some distance astern, and, sweeping forward with resistless force, broke clean over the vessel's stern, and with a such a terrific crash that for a moment it was feared that the decks had been burst in. The vessel immediately broached to, and lay wallowing in the trough of the sea. Captain Smith, who had a narrow escape from being washed overboard, immediately on recovering, saw that the wheel had been carried away, also the compass, and on turning to go into the cabin, which was in a house on deck, to obtain another compass, saw that it was completely gutted. Fortunately, however, by dint of great physical exertion in removing the debris, he was enabled to get the compass; and, as soon as possible, all hands were at work securing the tiller, heaving the ship to, and clearing away the wreckage. When the vessel was then hove to she behaved very well, and an opportunity was afforded of ascertaining the damage that was done. The cabin was thoroughly wrecked, only the two sides being left standing; the captain's and mate's clothes were either swept away or completely spoilt by the oil and salt water; all the small stores were destroyed owing to the water getting down into the lazarette; the wheel was smashed, and the steersman received such severe injuries to his head, face, and neck that he has been laid up ever since; and other damage was done. Captain Smith had only one suit of clothes left fit to put on, and his gold chronometer watch was so damaged as to render it almost useless. Several sails were also lost. A preventive wheel was fixed in position without delay, the cabin secured as well as possible, and the schooner rode out in safety the remainder of the gale, which lasted with unabated fury until the 19th. It then moderated a little, and the vessel squared away for Sydney. Fresh easterly winds and a heavy sea continued till Lord Howe Island was sighted on the 2nd instant, and strong S. and S.E. winds, with a high sea, were met with from there to port. The Darcy Pratt sailed into the harbour, and was towed round to Pyrmont Bight. Captain Smith adds that he has been in command of the vessel three years, and that this was the first occasion on which he had to heave her to; and that all himself and crew have had to live upon since the 16th of September, was flour, water, potatoes, and salt beef, the other stores having been destroyed.

IN QUARANTINE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—On the last trip of the Corinna from Launceston to Sydney my youngest daughter was the only saloon passenger. On the arrival of the vessel at this port the passengers were placed in quarantine. I immediately called upon the agents of the vessel, who told me that they had communicated with the secretary of the Board of Health, and that my child should be separated from the other passengers, and placed in the house of the superintendent of the station, to live with his family. I then called upon the secretary, who said that arrangements would be made to place my child with the superintendent's family, and everything done for her comfort.

With these assurances I was fain to be content. Yesterday my daughter was released from quarantine, and to my great annoyance I found out that nothing whatever had been done for her comfort or convenience—the assurances given to me notwithstanding. She is only nine years of age, which makes the treatment the more cruel. Only one table was provided, to which the Chinese passengers were admitted. Can these things be? And on whom rests the responsibility? Should no distinction of class be made in quarantine? Should the abominable Chinaman be admitted to the same table and placed on the same equality as the European?

Such a system cannot for a moment be defended, and the public should, for its own sake and the sake of common decency, refuse to submit to it any longer, as it can only exist through the darkness in which the subject is buried.

I am, &c., WILLIAM G. M'CLURE, M.D.
7th October, 1887.

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AMUSEMENTS.

MADAME SCHILLER'S SECOND RECITAL.

At Madame Schiller's recital last evening, the second of the series, we were glad to notice a considerable improvement in the attendance. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Carrington having bestowed their patronage were present. So great an artiste as Madame Schiller ought to be well supported, and it would be a matter of satisfaction if we could see so much appreciation of really good music in Sydney that high-class recitals such as these would be as well patronised as the far less worthy "popular" entertainments more usually provided. Last evening's programme was exceedingly fine, comprising compositions in every style, from Beethoven to Wollenhaupt. Liszt was as usual well represented; for Madame Schiller shines more successfully in this school of playing than any other. Of his compositions there were first given "Ricordanza" and "La Campanella" ("Etudes d'execution transcendantes"), the first of which specially enabled the pianist to show her fine power of rapid wrist staccato, and the second her precision in extended skips and repetitions, and the display of her splendid action of fourth and fifth fingers. Best of all, however, was the glorious F sharp minor and major "Rhapsodie Hongroise," which was grandly played throughout, the magnificent octave passages in particular being executed with consummate skill. As on the previous occasion, we cannot admire Madame Schiller's rendering of Beethoven, who is represented by her in too delicate a manner. Perfection of execution in every department was undeniably evident throughout the great "Waldstein" Sonata, but neither first movement nor finale were robust enough in style. Exception must, however, be made in favour of the short Adagio, which was super-excellent, being expounded with careful regard to every detail of accentuation and phrasing, such as a fine orator would bestow on his verbal delivery. Chopin is evidently a composer whom Madame Schiller keenly appreciates; and though in the A flat Valse it would have been better if the melody notes, in duple rhythm, had not been so strongly emphasised—indeed they are naturally prominent enough by virtue of their position—so that the mixed measure which forms the special charm could have been more apparent; yet even this was in all other respects most skilfully rendered, while the exquisite "Berceuse" in D flat was played with inexpressible charm. Schumann's Andante and Variations, composed for two pianos and arranged for the performance by Schaeffer, was a most excellent performance in every respect,—indeed it may be doubted whether finer Schumann playing has been heard in Sydney for a very long time. Thalberg's brilliant fantasie on "L'Elisir d'Amore" was more generally admired than perhaps aught else, and indeed Madame Schiller's fingers are of the very best for the Thalbergarian style of pianoforte playing. Beside the above compositions, the programme included Wollenhaupt's "Mazeppa," "Galop de Concert," and Gottschalk's tremendous "Il tremolo," which was repeated by request.

The next recital will be on Tuesday evening.

Mr. TITHERADGE'S BENEFIT.

At the Theatre Royal last evening, the "Silver King" was played for the last time, and as a complimentary benefit to Mr. G. S. Titheradge, whose name has been inseparably allied to this exceedingly powerful, strikingly ingenious, and yet natural and interesting drama ever since it was performed in the colonies some years ago. Whenever the "Silver King" has been spoken of, the name of Mr. Titheradge has come to mind, because his artistic delineation of the principal character has never failed to make a lasting impression. The crowded house seen at this theatre last evening is *prima facie* evidence of this great actor's popularity, and the applause showered on him confirmatory of the good opinion which we have always expressed of his ability. Wilfred Denver—the Silver King—is Mr Titheradge's great character, but he has shown his versatility by his successful portrayal of character as different as can be from this in other important dramas and comedies. Mr. Titheradge has just concluded his engagement with Messrs. Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove, but we understand that Australia is not about to lose him, as he has been engaged by Messrs. Brough and Boucicault to appear in several good plays.

THE THEATRE ROYAL.

"The Harbour Lights" will be produced for the first time in Sydney at the Theatre Royal this evening. It is one of the finest dramas of Messrs. G. R. Sims and H. Pettitt, and has been immensely successful wherever played. There are five acts, and, as the name indicates, the play is nautical. It is full of dramatic incident, powerful situations, and animation, and can be recommended as having a most ingenious plot. But one of the most prominent and most pleasing features, as we well remember, will be found in the way it is illustrated. With its beautiful scenery the play, without any other favourable quality, would be a success. The Royal Dramatic Company form a cast which will give every satisfaction, and we have not the slightest doubt that "The Harbour Lights" will gain the heartiest appreciation of the Sydney people.

At the other theatres there will be no change of programme this evening. At Her Majesty's Mr. George Rignold will again appear in the two entertaining plays "Alone" and "Black-eyed Susan." "Shamus O'Brien" remains on the boards at the Gaiety Theatre, and the Burlesque Company continues its performances at the Royal Standard.

Miss Emelie Melville sails to-day by the Leura for Brisbane, to play a comedy season at the Theatre Royal there. She will be supported by a portion of Carrie Swain's company, augmented by a few special artists. Mr. Duncan Macallum goes with Miss Melville as her business manager.

The Alhambra Music Hall was well attended last night, and an excellent variety performance was gone through, to the evident satisfaction of the audience. The Trevor Brothers met with a great success in their wonderful acrobatic statuette performance, and Messrs. Keenan and Moynham introduced some clever specialities, including a mock boxing match, which proved very amusing.

The Standard Minstrel and Burlesque Company repeated their performance at the Standard Theatre yesterday evening, but owing, no doubt, to the existence of many other counter attractions, did not attract a very large audience. In the first part of the programme some very successful comic songs were given by various members of the company, and in the second part a number of novel and entertaining specialities were introduced by Messrs. Walsh and King, G. R. Faust, Vincent Magee, Willie Warner, Oswald Edwards, and Hosea Easton.

The Columbia Elite Skating Rink, in the Exhibition Building, was open as usual for skating yesterday evening, and was well patronised by the public. An excellent display of artistic skating was given by Mr. H. J. Wallace, who will repeat his performance this evening.

Last night the Criterion Theatre was again crowded to witness the representation of "Twelfth Night." Miss Jenyns's rendering of the part grows with every performance, and it can be counted as perhaps the best in her repertoire. Her winsomeness, grace, and good reading of the lines are thoroughly Shakespearian, and Mr. Hollewav's Malvolio is excellent. Notwithstanding the great success attending the presentation of the play, it will be replaced by "Ingomar" on Monday night next. To-night, therefore, is the last performance of the delightful comedy of "Twelfth Night, or What you Will."

The Hebrew Literary and Debating Society held a most enjoyable musical evening last Thursday, when the Synagogue schoolroom was filled to its utmost capacity, the president (Rev. A. B. Davis) being in the chair. Mr. and Miss Menser commenced with a pianoforte duet, the selection being from the opera of "William Tell," and gained great applause. Messrs. Cohen and Hartfield followed with a scene from "Julius Cæsar," and then Mrs. Foster sang, in a most pleasing manner, "Stay with Me:" the same lady also gave "The Song for Me" very effectively. Mr. Defries recited a scene from "Hamlet," after which Miss Wangenheim sang "Sing, Sweet Bird," which most deservedly gained an encore. Mr. Baumann next sang "True Till Death," and then Miss Neustadt gave a pianoforte solo, "Caprice Aerienne," which was played in brilliant style. Mr. Hartfield recited from "King Lear" in a masterly manner, and was followed by Miss Phillips, who sang "Oh! how Delightful," and also "A Mountain Lad." Mr. Palmer sang "The Wanderer's Dream," and recitations were given by Mr. Buxton, Mrs. Goldsmid, and Miss Marks. Miss Neustadt acted as accompanist, and gave every satisfaction. The chairman having announced that at the next meeting a paper would be read on "Mendelssohn" by Mr. Philippstein, the meeting terminated with "God Save the Queen."

Our Brisbane correspondent telegraphs that Miss Amy Sherwin gave her final concert in Brisbane last night in the Courier Buildings to a large and enthusiastic audience, including the Governor and Lady Musgrave. Miss Carrie Swain is playing nightly to crowded houses at the Theatre Royal. Mr. M'Mahon's Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre are still playing the "Mikado" with success.

PUBLICATION RECEIVED.

We have received the September number of the "Journal and Proceedings of the Royal Society of New South Wales." Amongst the papers included in this number will be found an exceedingly interesting description of a district hospital by Dr. J. Ashburton Thompson, chief medical inspector of the Board of Health. In addition to detailed information as to construction and cost of such a building, plans and sections have been furnished, thus enabling hospital committees throughout the colony to obtain a very clear grasp of the subject. Mr. Tebbutt's paper on results of observations of comets at Windsor during last year shows that the Windsor Observatory may confidently be relied upon for valuable work. Rev. R. Collie, T.L.S., has an interesting paper on the influence of bush fires in the distribution of species; whilst more directly practical matters are dealt with in Mr. Maiden's paper on the tan substances of this colony, and in two other papers on gold-bearing veins and a specimen of Queensland opal. The publication is edited by the honorary secretaries, and issued direct from the society's office.

The *Fiji Times* reports that the well-known Solomon Island chief Kalui died at the Suva Hospital on September 16. On account of his rank and the estimation in which he was held by his fellow-countrymen resident in Suva, a large funeral took place in the course of the afternoon, and when he was buried, a sum of no less than £36, subscribed by his countrymen, was deposited in his coffin.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The Victorian Spring campaign opens to-day at Caulfield, under the management of the Victoria Amateur Turf Club, and it may be fairly assumed that a large attendance will put in an appearance at that popular sporting resort. The committee have spent a large sum of money in improving the course and its surroundings, and Mr. Bond has left nothing undone that could contribute to the success of the gathering. The racing commences with the Caulfield Stakes, a weight for age event, which should fall to Trident, who, however, will have to dispose of such excellent performers as Silvermine, Bravo, and Dunlop, who may give him some trouble in the run home. The Hurdle Race should bring about a good contest, in which the Queensland horse Friction, Whalebone, and Cannon should have most to say at the finish. A numerous field will go to the post in the Great Foal Stakes, which should be annexed by the Hon. W. A. Long's representative, Consequence, with Guildford, Lady Betty, and Hegira to see her home. Hortense should have no difficulty in appropriating the Caulfield Guineas, with Explorer and Bowmont to fill the places. Planet, Dollar, and Nightlight look about the best in the Australian Hunter's Cup; and the honors in the Toorak Handicap will likely be divided among Phaon, Teddy Yuille, and Lord Allen. The full programme of the day's sport appears elsewhere in this issue.

Cairo was struck out of the Caulfield Cup yesterday, and Pontifex out of all his V. R. C. and Williamstown R. C. engagements.

Acceptors for the handicaps of the Bourke Spring Meeting should notify the secretary this afternoon.

A telegram from our local correspondent gives the following scratchings for the Spring Meeting of the B. J. C. up to noon yesterday:—Bourke Handicap: Victory, B. Y., The Felon, Olive, Toorale. Spring Handicap: Victory, B. Y., The Felon. Hurdle Race: Bound, Ballara, Carlisle, Native. The following have most call in the local betting, so far:—Lifeboat, Toorale, Comus, Cerise and Gold. There is no speculation yet on the Hurdle Race.

Owners and trainers should not forget that the general entry for the events to be decided at Canterbury Park on the 22nd instant, under the management of the Sydney Hunt Club, closes at 4 p.m. on Monday, with Mr. Geo. W. S. Rowe, secretary of the Canterbury Park Race Club. The following events will require attention:—Handicap Hurdle Race of 60 sovs., to be ridden by amateurs registered under the Sydney Turf Club rules, or members of the Sydney Hunt Club, 2 miles; Flying Handicap of 60 sovs., 6 furlongs and 50 yards; Hunt Club Steeplechase of 60 sovs., for bona fide hunters, to be ridden by members of the Sydney Hunt Club, about 2 miles; Hunt Club Handicap of 75 sovs., 1 mile and 1 furlong; Sale Stakes of 50 sovs., 7 furlongs; and Members' Handicap, for a trophy presented by the Sydney Hunt Club, a welter handicap for bona-fide hunters, to be ridden by members of the club, 1¼ mile. The entrance fee for each event is one sov., with the exception of the Members' Handicap, for which the nomination is free.

The late race meeting held under the auspices of the Northern Jockey Club, on the Rutherford course, Maitland has proved a financial success, and has left the club a satisfactory balance in hand.

New Zealand files record the death of the racehorse Hilarious, from the effects of injuries received while jumping a ditch. Hilarious, who was bred by Mr. F. S. Reynolds, of Tocal, was by the celebrated sire Goldsbrough from Maritana, by New Warrior from Mermaid, by Fisherman from Sweetheart (imp.), by Red Hart; and, in company with Sir Garnet, by Yattendon from Petrel, was introduced to the New Zealand turf by Mr. R. H. Prince in 1879. As a two-year-old he made a good record, as he started by securing the Welcome Stakes at the Canterbury Spring Meeting, when he defeated such performers as Sir George, Tim Whiffler, Sir Modred, Lure, &c.; he won the Ladies' Purse at the Dunedin Annual Meeting, and the Ellerslie Plate and Flying Stakes at the Autumn Meeting of the Auckland Racing Club. As a three-year-old he annexed the Publicans' Handicap and the City Stakes at the Dunedin annual meeting, but the following year he failed to make a record.

A Wagga Wagga exchange says:—"Mr. Robert M'Intyre, of Glenfield, has purchased from Mr. H. J. Derepas (through the agency of Mr. Bland Clayton) the thoroughbred mare Lady Carrington, at a high figure. This beautiful mare, who, it will be remembered, carried off first prize in the class for weight-carrying hunters at the late show of the M. P and A. Association, will, we understand, visit Mr. A. Booth's Irish hunting stallion Fitzjames, at Gobbagumbalin."

In connection with the Figtree-La Valette protest in the September Cup at the Spring Meeting of the Hawkesbury Race Club, the expediency of admitting the representatives of the press to the inquiry was advocated in these columns on the grounds that the sporting community, who, as a rule, are heavily interested in the decisions of the committee, should be in a position to know upon what evidence the verdict has been arrived at. At the recent reunion of the Dunedin (N. Z.) Hunt Club a protest was entered against Mr. M'Lean's St. Ives, who came home in front of Mr. Cotton's Snapshot in the Telegraph Flat Race, and when the matter came before the stewards of the Dunedin Jockey Club they invited the members of the press to be present. The sporting writer of the *Weekly Press*, in commenting on the action of the stewards, says:—"This is as it should be, and will tend to restore confidence in their decisions." A similar innovation is urgently needed on the Australian turf, and the sooner it is inaugurated the better for all concerned.

At a largely-attended meeting of the local jockeys, held recently at Ellerslie (N.Z.), it was unanimously agreed to wait on the Auckland Racing Club, to request that body to reinstate the old scale of racing fees, and it was also decided to forward proceedings of the meeting to the jockeys in each racing centre throughout the colony, with a view to combined action. The jockeys maintained at the meeting that after paying expenses for travelling, and wasting time, it was next to impossible for them to maintain a wife and family with the scale of fees now in force.

Latest advices from the north-west record the disqualification of the horse Guardsman, who was entered for the leading handicaps of the Albert Goldfields Jockey Club. A protest was entered by Mr. Smith, of Cobham Lake, against the nomination of Guardsman by Mr. W. Bolster, and the case was investigated by the committee of the Albert Goldfields Jockey Club. The nomination, as it came before the handicappers, was as follows:—"Pedigree: Guardsman, by Fisherman, dam unknown. Performances: Won Selling Race at Broken Hill, won small handicap at Acacia Dam;" whereas his correct pedigree and performances for the past 12 months are these:—Pedigree: Guardsman, by Rioter out of Love Not. Performances: Won Selling Race at Townsville; nowhere in Barcaldine Handicap, 1¼ mile, 7st. 2lb.; Wilcannia, nowhere in Darling Handicap, 8st. 10lb., won by Eaglet, 9st.; nowhere in Forced Handicap, 7st. 4lb., won by British Lion, 8st. 5lb., Kingship, 8st. 10lb., second; won Farewell Handicap, 8st. 6lb., Phiz, 8st. 2lb., second, Hard Times, 7st. 13½lb., third; Mayflower and Nobbler started; time, 2 minutes 25½ seconds; won Selling Race at Broken Hill; nowhere in Flying Handicap, 7st. 9lb., at Silverton, won by Eaglet, 9st. 3lb.; won handicap at Mount Gipps, beating Flight and Snip, also handicap at Acacia Dam." The committee disqualified the owner and horse for the annual meeting of the A.G.F. Jockey Club.

The programme for a two-days' meeting to be held on the prettily-situated racecourse at Coraki, Richmond River, on January 2 and 3, has been issued by the local jockey club. There are half-a-dozen events to be decided each day, the principal of which are the Town Plate of 40 sovs. and the Jockey Club Handicap of 50 sovs., while the added money amounts to over £200.

The committee of the Burrangong Turf Club have framed a six-event programme to be played out on Boxing Day. The District Handicap of 25 sovs. is the principal event: and the added money totals £75.

It should not be forgotten by owners and trainers of race horses, that the general entry for the V. R. C. Spring Meeting closes on Monday at 4 p.m., and that entries will be received at the A. J. C. office, King-street, for the following events up to the hour mentioned:—Melbourne Stakes of 300 sovs., 1¼ mile; Hotham Handicap of 300 sovs., 1½ mile and a distance; Selling Race of 150 sovs., 6 furlongs; Coburg Stakes of 200 sovs., one mile and a furlong; Hurdle Race of 250 sovs., 3 miles; Railway Handicap of 200 sovs., 6 furlongs; Kensington Stakes of 200 sovs., 5 furlongs; Nursery Handicap of 200 sovs., 5 furlongs; Yan Yean Stakes of 200 sovs., 1 mile; Flying Stakes of 200 sovs., 7 furlongs; Second Hurdle Race of 200 sovs., 2 miles; Spring Handicap of 200 sovs., 1½ mile; Royal Park Stakes of 200 sovs., 2 miles; Veteran Stakes of 200 sovs., 1½ mile; Maiden Plate of 250 sovs., 1½ mile; Flemington Stakes of 250 sovs, ¾ mile; V. R. C. Handicap of 300 sovs., 1¾ mile; Steeplechase of 400 sovs., 3 miles; Canterbury Plate of 400 sovs., 2¼ miles; and Free Handicap of 200 sovs., 1 mile and a furlong. A sweepstakes of 5 sovs. accompanies each event, with the exception of the Selling Race (3 sovs.), and the Kensington Stakes, Steeplechase, and Canterbury Plate (10 sovs each).

A neatly-arranged card, tastefully printed in colours, and containing a list of 30 celebrated colonial racehorses, their breeding, number of races won up to the 1st instant, together with the weights carried, distances, time and number of starters in each event in which they competed, is to hand from the compiler, Mr. J. H. White, Pitt-street. In a tabulated form, the performances of the different horses are shown at a glance, and as the information is reliable, the card will be found very useful, as a means of reference by all who take an interest in turf matters.

It is pleasing to note in connection with the Spring racing campaign just concluded that the settlings have been satisfactory throughout. A leading Victorian metallician, Mr. A. Josephs, who attended the Hawkesbury, Randwick, and Canterbury Park meetings, and who negotiated business on each of the 44 events decided at those gatherings—his transactions amounting to over £15,000—left for Melbourne on Wednesday, and his statement to the effect that every shilling owing to him has been promptly paid, is highly creditable to the sportsmen of New South Wales.

Business in the local betting market was very dull yesterday, owing to the exodus of pencillers during the week to Melbourne and Singleton, and wagering was entirely confined to the Caulfield Cup, for which Silvermine, Volcano, and Meteor were most in request at 6, 8, and 10 to 1 respectively; while Escutcheon and Oakleigh had some slight support at 100's to 6 each.

VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB SPRING MEETING.

The following is the programme for the opening of the V. A. T. C. Spring Meeting at Caulfield to-day:—

CAULFIELD STAKES of 200 sovs., added to a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each for starters. 1¼ mile and a distance.

Bravo	Spade Guinea	Dunlop	Trident
First Consul	Opal	Harvester	King of the West.
Lord Allen	Ringmaster	Mozart	Cranbrook
Silvermine	Lord William	Sumatra	Carlyon
Niagara	Pasha	Pakeha	

HANDICAP HURDLE RACE, of 200 sovs., added to a sweepstakes of 3 sovs. each for acceptors. 2 miles.

	st. lb.		st. lb.		st. lb.
Ellerslie	11 11	Jack	10 0	Trooper	9 7
Friction	11 6	Dunstan	9 12	Cannon	9 4
Whalebone	11 1	Karuma	9 10	Aristocrat	9 0
Moolgai	10 10	Star	9 10	Impulse	9 0
Vanderbilt	10 7	Landseer	9 7	Sinking Fund	9 0
Courage	10 5				

GREAT FOAL STAKES, a sweepstake of 15 sovs. each for starters, with 300 sovs. added. For two years old, colts, 8st.; fillies, 7st. 10lb.; geldings, 7st. 9lb. 4 furlongs.

Hon. W. A. Long's ch f Consequence, by Gang Forward—Haidee (10lb. penalty)
Mr. T. Jones's ch c Gladstone, by Gang Forward—Irish Queen
Mr. T. Coffey's b c Guildford, by Neckersgat—Ada
Hon. L. L. Smith's br c Salisbury, by Neckersgat—Adelina
Mr. J. Whittingham's b or br c Propounder, by Neckersgat—Emily Faithful
Hon. L. L. Smith's br f Hegira, by Darriwell—Alethe
Mr. W. E. Power's b c St. Clair, by Glorious—Perfection
Mr. J. Cripps's b f Double Acrostic, by Glorious—Acrostic
Mr. J. Cripps's bl f Endurance, by Glorious—Hiano Mungie
Mr. J. Cripps's bl f Cornelian, by Sardonyx—Tilly (imp.)
Mr. W. Cooper's ch f Lady Betty, by St. Albans—Pardon
Dr. Lawrence's br f Acorn, by Bosworth—Star of Love
Mr. J. Wilson's b c, by Lothair—Cantata
Mr. T. Sampson's b f Maggie, by Darebin—Margaret
Mr. J. H. Hill's bl or gr c Enterprise, by Savanaka—Lady Dis-dain
Mr. T. Williams's b c The Lawyer, by Savanaka—Eileen
Sir W. J. Clarke's b or br c Baron's Court, by Defoe—Petrea
Mr. J. Wilson, jun.'s br c Lonsdale, by First King—Yardley (imp.)
Mr. S. Miller's b c Wyvis, by Dante—Glycerine

CAULFIELD GUINEAS, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each for starters, with 300 sovs. added. For three-year-olds; colts, 8st. 5lb.; fillies and geldings, 8st. 1 mile.

Mr. J. H. Hill's b f Perhaps, by Gang Forward—Peradventure
Mr. C. L. Macdonald's br f Hortense, by Gang Forward—Josephine
Mr. A. Harvey's ch c Pakeha, by The Englishman—True Blue
Mr. T. M. Jordan's br c Strife, by Wild Eagle—Rivalry
Mr. E. Mitchelson's b c Tranter, by Musket—Pungawerewere
Mr. E. Mitchelson's br c Escutcheon, by Musket—Rosette—(imp.)
Mr. M. O'Shanassy's ch c Tabard, by St. Albans—Pilgrimage
Mr. M. O'Shanassy's br c Boz, by Bosworth—Hypatia
Mr. J. Cohen's br or bl c Joyful, by Glorious—Mangana
Mr. S. A. Douglas's b f Fancy Free, by Musket (imp.)—Fancy
Hon. W. A. Long's br c Master George, by Maribyrnong—Nellie
Hon. W. A. Long's b g Teheran, by Darriwell—Haidee
Mr. T. Jones's b g Scarlet and Black, by Maribyrnong—Nea
Mr. T. Jones's ch c Explorer, by Robinson Crusoe—Luna
Mr. A. Harvey's br f Sumatra, by The Pontiff—Malacca
Hon. J. White's b c Carlyon, by Chester—Moonstone
Mr. D. Cooper's b c Bowmont, by St. Albans—Pardon
Hon. W. Robinson's br c Enfilade, by Musket—Onyx

THE AUSTRALIAN HUNTERS' CUP; a trophy valued 150 sovs., or specie—About 2½ miles.

Kulkyal	12 12	Hyperna	11 8	Bangle (late Bailiff)	10 10
Dollar	12 7	Nightlight	11 7	Wales	10 10
Robin Hood	12 2	Milksop	11 7	Redoubt	10 7
Yankee Grab	11 12	Harkaway	11 2	Duchess	10 7
Planet	11 12	Goldtop	11 2		
Ali Baba	11 12	Salesman	11 2		
Signal	11 12	Maraschino (late The Cadger)	10 10		
Big Ben (late The Joker)	11 10				

THE TOORAK HANDICAP, of 150 sovs., added to a sweep of 3 sovs. each, for acceptors—1 mile.

Gardenia	8 12	Escutcheon	7 12	Master Jack	7 3
Phaon	8 8	Highland Chief	7 11	Mara	7 2
I O U	8 6	Teddy Yuille	7 10	Sunshade	7 2
Pocahontas	8 5	Richworth	7 10	Lord Allen	7 1
St. John	8 3	Warrnambool	7 8	Dacon	6 13
Dufferin	8 2	Chicago	7 7	Danseuse	6 7
King of the West	7 12	St. Patrick	7 7	V. C.	6 7
		The Queen	7 6		

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE V. A. T. C. AND V. R. C. MEETINGS.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The following are the latest scratchings:—Caulfield Cup: Zeno, Mitrailleuse, Cairo, Physician. Windsor Handicap: Mitrailleuse. Hunter's Cup: Gold Top, Hiperian, Kullkyae. Caulfield Stakes: Lord William, First Consul. Guineas: Oceana. Foal Stakes: Baron's Court. Maiden Plate: Rupertswood.

VICTORIAN TRAINING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

At Flemington the sand track was still closed this morning, and the two tan gallops being much cut up there was much grumbling amongst trainers. The work done was consequently of an uninteresting character. Hogmanay galloped six furlongs on the tan. Friction did a fast round. V. C. and New Fashion came home with a fast half-mile. Dainty galloped six furlongs. Master Jack went half a mile. Volcano was given two miles of three-parts' pace work. Trident and Abercorn had a long canter. Tranter and Oxford went about a couple of miles on the grass, where Escutcheon also did over a mile. Phaon and Toronto did a mile at three-quarter speed. Dunlop went round at a smart pace. Pakeha and the Typhoon gelding galloped 11 furlongs. Silver Prince, Enfilade, Thunderbolt, and Disowned went slowly on the cinders.

Very little fast work was done at Caulfield this morning. Pasha, Teddy Quille, and Emerald went a useful gallop. Spade Guinea and Morrella were sent round the tan for two miles at half-pace. Master John and Justice went slowly on the sand track. Vinagrette and Rocket galloped a fast six furlongs in excellent time, the latter shaping remarkably well. It is evident that the New Zealander is a flyer over the distance named. Bowmont did a round on the course, winding up strongly. Eugenie, Carnarvon, Nancy, Roy, Aphrodite, The Laird, and Liddington cantered. Wessex and Sweetmeat were given a dose over the fences, both distinguishing themselves. Aglaos was sent three times round the tan. Anarchy did a useful mile on the course. Approbation, Revenge, and the Sea Breeze colt cantered. Ali Black and Vanderbilt spurted. St. Albert rattled over five furlongs. Beadsman took matters mildly. Niagara and Fernandez went a mile at half-speed, after which they increased the pace. Silvermine moved steadily round the tan track. Louise, Berta, Dunstan, Epicurean, Lizette, Bob Cooper, and Goodwood were all treated to cantering exercise. Bohemian did not put in an appearance, he having pulled up slightly lame after his gallop the previous morning. Newmaster and Poor Jim strode over a couple of miles. The following horses cantered:—Gasburner, Tim Cain, Jack, King of the West, Marlborough, Cymro, Lead On, Footman, First Pop.

THE MELBOURNE BETTING MARKET.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The Victoria Club was well attended to-night. The betting was very quiet, all business having been transacted during the day. The Guineas and Foal Stakes are both neglected. Three to one and 6 to 4 are respectively offered on the field. On the Caulfield Cup there was some genuine business. Silvermine remained firm at the head of the quotations, 100 to 17 being accepted to £500, when 100 to 18 was the best offer. Several hundreds went on Volcano at 10 to 1. A heavy commission was worked on behalf of the Ballarat horse Oakleigh, who is said to have had very considerably the best of Recall and Bravo in a gallop. Altogether £10,000 was secured, commencing at 20 to 1, and leaving off at 100 to 8, which was freely taken. Subsequently 100 to 9 was the best offer. There was a run on Escutcheon, and £4000 was booked at 100 to 6, when 100 to 7 was offered. A couple of thousands were laid against Lara at 100 to 8. Meteor, after having been backed in the morning at 10 to 1, receded to 100 to 8 offered. With the exception of 2 to 1 in hundreds about Abercorn, the V. R. C. Derby is quiet. The Melbourne Cup showed no change. The following are the market prices:—Caulfield Guineas: 3 to 1 on the field. Great Foal Stakes: 6 to 4 on the field. Caulfield Cup: 100 to 18 v. Silvermine (off.), 10 to 1 v. Volcano (tk. and off.), 100 to 9 v. Oakleigh (off.), 100 to 8 v. Meteor (off.), 100 to 7 v. Escutcheon (off.), 100 to 6 (wanted), 100 to 6 v. Pasha (off.), 100 to 6 v. Lara (taken and off.), 20 to 1 v. The Levite (off.), 20 to 1 to 50 to 1 v. any other. Maribyrnong Plate: 4 to 1 on the field. V. R. C. Derby: 2 to 1 v. Abercorn (taken), 4 to 1 v. Niagara (off.), 7 to 1 v. Enfilade (off.), 7 to 1 v. The Australian Peer (off.). Melbourne Cup: 5 to 1 v. Algerian (off.), 100 to 7 v. Silver Prince (off.), 100 to 6 v. Silvermine (off.), 100 to 4 v. The Australian Peer (off.), 100 to 3 v. Thunderbolt (off.).

WOLLONGONG TURF CLUB.

WOLLONGONG, FRIDAY.

The following weights have been declared:—

WOLLONGONG HANDICAP.

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Frolic	9 5	Lord of the Lake	7 8	Emperor	7 3
Adam	8 10			Present	7 2
Leumeah	8 5	Friendless	7 4	Home Rule	7 0
Hopeful	8 7	Plain-iff	7 4	Tambour Major	6 9
Belvoirina	7 10	The Base	7 4		

TOWN PLATE.

Frolic	9 7	Lord of the Lake	7 10	Home Rule	7 2
Adam	8 12			Erebus	6 10
Leumeah	8 10	Plaintiff	7 6	Unnamed	6 4
Hopeful	8 9	The Base	7 6	Tambo'r Major	6 2
Belvoirina	7 12	Emperor	7 5	Neptune	6 0
Friendless	7 6	Astoros	7 4	Selector	6 0

ILLAWARRA TURF CLUB.

KIAMA, FRIDAY.

The annual race meeting of the Illawarra Turf Club was concluded on the Woodstock course, Jamberoo, last evening. The attendance numbered between fourteen and fifteen hundred. Mr. D. G. Russell as starter performed his duties to the entire satisfaction of all concerned, as did also Mr. Ebenezer Cole in the capacity of judge. One of the jockeys was thrown, but he escaped without injury. The weather was showery.

The following were the winners of the various events:—

TRIAL STAKES.

Mr P. W. Hall's Unnamed	1
Mr. F. Hughes' Amusement	2
Mr. J. M'Gill's Dunanerty	3

MINNAMURRA PLATE.

Mr. J. W. Clarke's The Star	1
Mr. F. Hegarty's Hopefield	2
Mr. J. Couch's Kembla	3

PUBLICANS' PURSE.

Mr. J. W. Clarke's The Star	1
Mr. J. Couch's Emperor	2
Mr. J. Smith's Neptune	3

HACK HANDICAP.

Kembla	1
Eberean	2
Ingersoll	3

SHORTS HANDICAP.

Mr. J. Couch's Emperor	1
Mr. R. Elliott's Pantaloon	2
Mr. P. W. Hall's Strephon	3

DISPOSAL STAKES.

Mr. J. Couch's Kembla	1
Mr. F. Hegarty's Hopeful	2
Mr. R. Elliott's Pantaloon	3

TURF CLUB HANDICAP.

Mr J. Rouen's Hopeful	1
Mr. J. Couch's Emperor	2
Mr. P. W. Hall's Unnamed	3

STEWARDS' GIFT.

Getawa	1
Eberean	2

FLYING HANDICAP.

Mr. J. Couch's Dunmore Maid	1
Mr. J. Smith's Neptune	2
Mr. R. Elliott's Pantaloon	3

FORCED HANDICAP.

Mr. J. Couch's Dunmore Maid	1
Mr. J. W. Clarke's The Star	2

GOULBURN TROTTING RACES.

GOULBURN, FRIDAY.

The Trotting Races to-day passed off successfully. The attendance numbered about 500. The sport was good, but the finishes were not close.

OPEN HANDICAP TROT—3 miles.

Mr. W. Mill's b g Willie, 500 yards	1
Mr. A. Crawley ns c g Darby, 175 yards	2
Mr. R. Gale's b g Varmint, scratch	3

Time, 8 minutes 10 seconds. The driver of Mr. A. Martin's Douglas, in the third division, was fined £2. The stewards believing that the horse had not been persevered with.

GALLOWAY TROT—2 miles.

Mr. W. Mills's br m Vinla, 400 yards	1
Mr. T. M'Alister's ch g Tom, scratch	2
Mr. A. T. Turner ns b m Christmas, 450 yards	3

Time, 6 minutes 4 seconds.

HANDICAP PONY FLAT RACE—1 mile.

Mr. P. Confoy's b m Millie, 7st.	1
Mr. J. J. M'Caul's b m Missing Link, 8st. 7lb.	2
Mr. A. J. Gooley's b m Carmella, 8st.	3

PATRICK'S PLAINS JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

SINGLETON, FRIDAY.

The second day's racing of the Patrick's Plains Jockey Club resulted as follows:—

HURDLE RACE.—Acrobat, 1. Only two other horses started.

SHORTS HANDICAP.—Iona, 1; Charley, 2; New Chum, 3.

HANDICAP HACK RACE.—Garryowen, 1; Accident, 2.

PATRICK'S PLAINS JOCKEY CLUB HANDICAP.—The Arrow, 1; Malicho, 2; Vespasia, 3. This was a first-class race.

PRINCE OF WALES' STAKES.—Doubtful, 1; Prosper, 2; Zenonia, 3.

FORCED HANDICAP.—Nonsense, 1; Adam, 2.

The weather was all that could be desired, and the attendance was good.

NEWCASTLE SEVENTH GRAND HANDICAP.

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

The following are the handicaps for the Newcastle Seventh Grand Handicap, to be run on October 21, 22, and 24.

A. Trinder, 5 yards; W. H. Williams, 6; L. A. Cassimer, 6½; T. Liddle, 7; Joe Price, Jas. Moody, 7½; P. Monaghan, E. Sutton, T. Ellem, L. E. Myers, J. Atkinson, F. Kingsmill, 8; J. Milligan, Joe Morris, C. Donoghue, 8½; L. Hoelscher, J. M. Solomon, J. M. Malone, W. S. Mooley, J. Brewer, H. J. Harris, H. R. Ball, R. Bailey, M. J. Monnock, A. Morgan, 9; R. Walker, A. M'Grory, J. R. Butler, G. A. Studdart, 9½; E. A. Checkley, Tom Budd, J. Logan, J. Climback, J. J. Gately, S. Hibberd, C. M'Donald, W. R. Solly, J. Towney, T. Smith (a), T. W. Geddes, 10; C. A. Dunn, S. J. Ingram, W. Love, F. Casburn, 10½; Giro Jimmie, M. Sheehy, J. Rowan, T. Sutton, 11; J. Weatherley, E. R. Rose, J. Dooley, J. Rice, J. Davies, R. A. Jurd, 11½; R. J. Walsh, J. A. Cochrane, W. Cummings, C. T. Hall, D. Blyth, 12; R. Stokes, T. Hopkins, 12½; J. Byrnes, W. Bartlett, J. H. Bateman, J. J. Manning, J. Morris, J. Scott, H. Fredericks, J. Farrow, W. James, 13; F. Rex, H. Campbell, F. G. Brown, P. Callaghan, P. Doyle, 13½; W. Hetherington, W. Buck, J. Bateman, A. Bassett, R. Compton, M. Daunt, H. Giles, W. Guest, W. Neilson, P. W. Somers, C. Sweeney, H. S. Thompson, L. M'Leod, G. Gardiner, H. W. Flockton, 14; T. G. Agnew, D. E. Palmer, G. Stettler, W. Yates, 14½; C. Morriss, M. Robinson, H. Samuels, T. J. Walsh, W. A. Went, E. M. Welch, J. Woodthorpe, T. Tull, C. Thomas, A. Pritchard, J. W. Newton, J. F. Loveday, R. G. Kilgour, T. S. House, P. C. Fairland, C. Baker, M. P. Barry, A. Cox, P. M'Mahon, A. Seymour, 15; Jas. Conn, 15½; F. Holdcroft, J. Gunn, T. Darr, T. Fisher, J. Lamb, E. Mulcahy, G. M'Namara, O. J. Nicoll, W. Riley, W. Smith, A. Wall, A. G. Wright, T. Carry, 16; A. Hall, J. G. Williams, J. H. Went, E. Pike, O. Purcell, D. W. Dickson, J. A. Lindsay, W. D. Currie, 17.

Acceptances close Saturday, October 15.

HANDICAP, 440 yards, to be run October 21st, 22nd, and 24th.

L. Myers, scratch; Joe Price, 13; P. Monaghan, 15; W. H. Williams, 17; J. Atkinson, 18; J. J. Manning, J. Moody, R. Walker (a), 19; F. Kingsmill (2), L. Cassimer, 20; H. R. Ball, A. M'Grory, 21; H. J. Harris, M. Monnock, W. Love, 22; J. Ingram, 23; J. Butler, T. Budd, 24; D. Blyth, 25; J. Towney, F. Rex, H. Frederick, 26; J. Brewer, E. A. Checkley, J. Rowan, R. Bailey, J. J. Gately, 27; M. Sheehy, 28; J. Rice, 29; J. Byrnes, J. Dooley, E. J. Bourke, P. Doyle, P. W. Somers, 30; T. W. Geddes, 31; W. J. Dunn, 32; J. Sheehy, 33; E. Mulcahy, 34; J. Woodthorp, 35; J. Conn, G. Gardiner, 36; D. J. Nicolle, 37; H. Tegg, H. Adams, E. Pike, 40.

The acceptances close on Saturday, October 15.

MAITLAND HALF-HOLIDAY ATHLETIC SPORTS.

WEST MAITLAND, FRIDAY.

The Maitland half-holiday athletic sports took place on the Albion Ground this afternoon, and were attended by about 1000 people. The weather was beautifully fine, and everything passed off very satisfactorily.

Maiden Plate, 100 yards.—H. Lindsay, 1; C. Bell, 2.

Youths' Race, 100 yards.—J. Bathgate, 1; C. Cameron, 2.

All Comers' Handicap, 150 yards.—F. G. Brown, 9 yards, 1; P. Mangan, 11, 2; Rheingold, 18, 3.

Bicycle Race.—W. Tipper, 25 yards, 1; A. Cooper, scratch, 2; D. Williams, scratch, 3.

Kicking the Football.—J. E. Bourke, 1; F Bussell, 2.

All Schools' Race.—J. Walsh, 1; F. Dunlop, 2.

Half-holiday Handicap, 130 yards.—E. Blaxland, scratch, 1; Ross, 3 yards, 2; Terry, 15, 3.

Hop, Step, and Jump.—W. Bille.

Three Miles Bicycle Race.—W. Tipper, 50 yards, 1; J. Swinbourne, 250, 2; D. Williams, scratch, 3.

Sack Race.—C. Mitchell.

Quarter of a Mile Race.—H. Bussell, 12 yards, 1; W. A. Ross, 10, 2; W. Connolly, 5, 3.

Menagerie Race.—J. Flynn.

Half a Mile Handicap.—E. Grimwade, 16 yards, 1; M. Normoyle, 12, 2; A. Hough, 16, 3.

Ramblers Bicycle Club Handicap, 2 miles.—W. Tipper, 40 yards, 1; D. Williams, scratch, 2.

Consolation Handicap.—W. Connolly, 1; G. Cameron, 2.

BATHURST CRICKET CLUB.

BATHURST, FRIDAY.

At a special meeting of the Bathurst Cricket Club, to-night, the trophies won during the last season were presented as follows:—Best bowling average, 1885-6, George Kabie; best all-round play, D. B. Ferguson; best batting average, W. Clarke; highest aggregate score, J. E. Palmer. During the meeting Mr. C. V. Naylor, hon. secretary, and for many years associated with cricketers, received a purse of sovereigns in recognition of the services rendered by him in the cause of cricket.

CRICKET.

The match between the Carlton and Belvidere Clubs, which was commenced last Saturday, will be resumed this afternoon at 2.15.

The cup matches will be continued on the Agricultural Society's Ground this afternoon.

An interesting cricket match takes place to-day at the Victoria Barracks, Paddington, when a strong team of Thespians, selected from among the various companies now performing in Sydney, will meet a picked eleven representing the military interests. Play will commence at 11.30 a.m. sharp, and a good day's sport may be anticipated. The Thespians will be represented by Messrs. G. S. Titheradge, O. Deering, H. Bennett, H. E. Hambro, A. Rolfe, R. Stewart, A. Norman, H. Hodson, A. Baker, J. Tolano, Captain De Burgh, and W. Walshe (12).

The following team will represent the Ascot C. C. in their match with the Mercantile C. C. this afternoon on Moore Park:—Bruce (captain), Jamieson, Loftus, H. Morgan, A. Morgan, Scollin, Salmon, Prendergast, West, M'Minn, Marr, Heron (12).

The following will represent the Ivanhoes in their two-days' match against the Surry United on the latter's ground to-day:—Alderson, P. Charlton, Evers, E. Giffard, E. Kelly, P. Kelly, M'Namee, Mitchell, Myers, Nixon, and Rounsevell.

The following will represent the Ivanhoe B team against the Clydes this afternoon on the latter's ground:—Bolton, Birkenhead, Edmondson, Camphin, Curran, H. Charlton, T. Charlton, A. Giffard, Langley, Volett, and Williams.

The Electric Telegraph and Victoria Barracks Clubs met on the Victoria Barracks ground on Thursday, 6th instant. The E. T. captain winning the toss elected to bat, and the result was that the Barracks representatives were kept in the field the whole afternoon, the last wicket not falling till 216 runs had been scored. Newell 50 (not out), Bowen 50, Cleland 47, Nash 20, and Howe 14, batted in first-class style. Hallett and Colborne bowled best for the Barracks, the former securing seven wickets and the latter two.

The following are selected to represent the Carrington C.C. at Moore Park to-day against the Philizors C.C. (late Norwoods):—G. Bishop, F. Wippax, W. Connelly, J. Wrinks, G. Reid, T. Armstrong, J. M'Mahon, M. Coffee, G. Coyle, W. Holden, A. Stedman, J. M'Laughlan.

The following members have been selected to play to-day for the Young Ivanhoes against the Glenmore C. C., on Moore Park, on the Young Ivanhoes wicket:—J. Butler (captain), T. Harrison, T. O'Toole, A. E. Durnford, J. M'Namara, T. M'Mahon, W. Baginett, F. Howell, W. Wilson, A. Furness, H. Monk, R. Morrison (12), W. Heir (13), L. Fraser (14).

The following will represent the Carlingfords against the Glebe Wellingtons to-day:—T. Brown, J. Storey, J. Williamson, J. Young, T. Young, J. Robson, D. O'Keefe, H. Kirk, W. Summerville, H. Miles, D. Williams, F. Forster (12), J. Morrison (13).

Secretaries of Third Junior Clubs are reminded that entries close for the Eaves Cup on Monday next, with Mr. Schuler, 448, George-street.

The following will represent Beale and Co. against Messrs. Tillock, Love, and Co., at Macdonaldtown Park, to-day:—Roberts, King, Martin, Harrison, King, Graham, Hayward, Scott, Piper, Bowie, Anderson, Kendrick (12), Braine (13).

The following members have been selected to represent the first eleven of the Fairbanks in their return match with the Summer Hill Our Boys to-day:—P. Vaughan (captain), R. Griffen, J. M'Laren, H. Webb, W. Nelson, R. Warden, S. Gelding, F. Gribben, W. Studdy, H. Aiken, H. Gray, and W. M'Laren (12).

The following team will represent Double Bay to-day against Balmain for the Kerr cup:—W. M'Dowall, S. Wallis, John M'Intosh, A. and R. Sweetman, E. Dickinson, A. Searle, F. Loder, W. Roberts, T. Ridley, H. Hudson, and G. Ord (12).

PEDESTRIANISM.

This afternoon the second and final rounds of the Carrington 10th Grand Handicap will be run off, commencing at 3 o'clock. With so many first-class runners left in, the heats promise to be unusually exciting, and the tracks are in such good order that very fast times should be made. The following are the latest quotations for those of the runners who are most fancied:—6 to 1 Gorman, 8 to 1 Smith and Crompton, 10 to 1 Fairland, 12 to 1 Wall and P. Monaghan, 14 to 1 Wilkinson, 15 to 1 Samuels, 20 to 1 M. J. Solomon and A. M. Hart.

The Carrington ground proprietary have made arrangements with the Electric Telegraph Department whereby the results of the Caulfield races will be posted on the ground this afternoon.

Pedestrians are reminded that training fees on the Carrington ground for the closing quarter of this year are now due. We hear that last quarter no fewer than 160 pedestrians availed themselves of the opportunities presented by this fine ground for getting themselves ready for the various important foot races run in all parts of the colony. In addition to the outside cinder track, the grass space between the straightaway tracks and the ring are now also available, having been recently topdressed and carefully prepared by Mr. E. Gee.

Runners are again reminded that, if they wish to nominate for the Penrith Progress Association's £100 Handicap or Hurdle Race, to be run on the 5th and 9th November, they must do so on or before Tuesday next, the 11th instant, with the secretary, Mr. W. Fulton, at Penrith.

Acceptances for the Sir Joseph Banks 440 Yards Handicap of 100 sovereigns close to night at the Burrangong Hotel. The race will be run on Saturday evening next, October 15, and will be finished in one evening. From the very satisfactory nature of the handicap the acceptances should be unusually large.

CYCLING.

The semi-annual meeting of the Sydney Bicycle Club was held at Milthorpe's Hotel on Friday night, Mr. W. R. George, vice-president, in the chair. A large attendance of members unanimously adopted the report for the season just ended. It showed that the club had progressed beyond all previous years. The members roll was nearly 80, and the attendance at club runs showed an average of 19. At meetings of the Cyclists' Union, the delegates of the club showed a regularity of attendance not approached by any other club, and a constancy in the discharge of their duties which did much towards clearing away the clouds which so darkened the cycling atmosphere early in the season. The stand then taken by the Sydney Bicycle Club has since received the hearty approval of cyclists and athletes all over the colonies, as well as of the press. A new book of carefully revised rules was prepared by the committee and issued to members in February, whereby officers will now be elected in March yearly. The present officers are:—Patron, Lord Carrington; president, Mr. G. E. Crane; vice-presidents, Messrs. R. G. Vallack, W. R. George, A. W. Crane, E. H. M'Rae; captain, Mr. A. Edward; vice-captain, Mr. J. H. Mayes; hon. secretary, Mr. J. Wilkes; hon. treasurer, Mr. Herbert Fry; bugler, Mr. G. Pearson; committee, Messrs. J. Copland, G. W. Godwin, J. Vicars, A. Fry. During the half-year 15 committee meetings have been held, all largely attended. As regards hospitalities and donations the club maintains its leading position. A successful soiree was given at Baumann's to welcome F. Wood and R. James, English cyclists, to the colony. Ten guineas were donated to the Cortis memorial fund; 5 guineas to the Bulli Relief Fund; a special trophy voted to E. M'Donald for his riding in the 10 miles championship (in addition to presents from W. R. George and F. J. Empsom). The Windsor B. C. was entertained at Parramatta, and the Manly B. C. at Cabarita, both of these clubs reciprocating the courtesy. A large attendance of cyclists from Adelaide, Melbourne, and the country (who were received by the Mayor at the Town Hall on their visit to compete at the annual race meeting) were afterwards entertained by the club. The great race meeting on September 3, though adverse weather prevailed, afforded the best day's cycling sport ever seen in the colony, and resulted in a profit of over £50. The novelties introduced among club runs were all successful, and the following medals were awarded by the club:—Attendance, D. M. Wilkes, J. Wilkes; road race, A. Graham, G. Warre, G. Pearson; hill-climbing, F. A. Booth, A. Edward, S. C. Kattie. The report concluded by a well-deserved tribute to Mr J. Wilkes, the club's hon. secretary, for the able manner in which he had discharged his duties. The balance-sheet showed a debit of £18 5s. 5d. Considerable discussion took place on the item—Liabilities: To ground reserve fund, £326 7s. 9d. Several speakers held that the time had now come for obtaining another ground for cycling and athletic sports. It was stated that the trustees of the Association Cricket Ground intended to charge the English cricketers only 20 per cent. on the takings, while for amateur sports a charge of 25 per cent. was made. This charge, although nominally fixed at the latter percentage, was really equal to 33 per cent., when due allowance was made for ground members coming in free with two ladies each, also for expenses for men taking charge of the gates and ground and for other expenses. The report was adopted. The following statement was laid before the meeting showing the attendance of delegates:—"Since 30th September, 1886, there have been 20 council meetings, and the attendance has been:—A. Fry, 20; J. Wilkes, 17; A. Edward, 16; J. Vicars, 10; H. Fry, 8; J Copland, 7; Lane, 1. There have been 33 executive meetings, and the attendance was:—A. Edward, up to 6th April, when he retired, 9 out of possible 10; A. Fry, since 2nd February, when he was elected, the full number, 29. There have been 6 general meetings of the union, but the attendance was not recorded. The report of the captain, Mr. A. Edward, as to attendance at club runs was of a very satisfactory nature. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the officers of the club for their management. It was resolved that the club fully support Messrs. Fry and Edward in the libel action instituted against them by Mr. H. S. Bale for their report in connection with the test races in February and the team race in May. The meeting then adjourned.

A successful meeting to form the Summer Hill Bicycle Club was held on Wednesday last at Mr. D. Lancaster's, he having given a large room for the use of the members. About 30 members were enrolled. A special committee was appointed to select rules, uniform, &c., and to submit them to the next meeting, to be held on Wednesday, October 12. The club promises to be one of the best in Sydney, having the advantage of exceptionally large club rooms, also the Ashfield track in close vicinity, and some of our fastest men on the roads and track in its ranks. The election of officers was left over till the approaching meeting.

On Saturday, 1st instant, 20 members of the Sydney Bicycle Club visited Windsor, where they were entertained in excellent style by the members of the Windsor Club at a banquet, at the Royal Hotel; Mr. Primrose (president) occupying the chair. The visitors returned to town on Monday, the local captain (Mr. Fitzpatrick) riding back with them.

ATHLETICS.

An interesting boxing match will take place to-night at Mr. L. Foley's Athletic Hall, George-street, when M'Carthy will meet J. Nolan in a match to a finish.

AQUATICS.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP RACE.—Beach, Hanlan, Perkins, Kemp, and Nelson were all out on the river yesterday—in fact, it was a regular "scullers' day." In the afternoon the champion, who was in the best of health, got into his shell the "Jack Smith," and paddled up to the bridge at Ryde. Peter Kemp and Chris. Nelson accompanied the Dapto sculler, whose movements were watched with great interest by his old and tried friend, Mr. J. G. Deeble. The three oarsmen left the bridge together, and had a good strong pull as far as the mile beacon. On his arrival off Blaxland's Beach found that his boat (which had just been fitted up by Messenger) did not suit him, the stretcher being a trifle too short for him to work properly. This being the case Beach and Kemp put back to the wharf at Ryde. Nelson went on to Putney wharf, where he picked up Hanlan and George Perkins, his trainer. Nelson then turned, and the three oarsmen rowed up to Uhr's Point at racing speed. Hanlan and Nelson went along in fine style, but Perkins did not come off so well, as he is not in anything like his old form. Nelson then put into the boatshed at Ryde, Hanlan continuing on up the river to the starting-place at Charity Point. Here he turned and raced after Perkins, who was about 140 yards away from him, down stream. The Canadian rowed about 34 strokes to the minute, and went along in his peculiar taking style. Keeping the pace up for a short time he gained rapidly on Perkins, and overhauled him at the mile, where both men ceased work and paddled over to Sturt's boatshed, at Mortlake. Hanlan appeared to be very well, and he rowed in excellent form, boat and oarsman moving in splendid time and almost perfect unison. The Canadian slowed down to 32 to the minute as he approached the mile. A steamer will proceed up the river every afternoon next week in order to give the public a chance of witnessing the scullers at work; but it will be "only a chance," as it is not to be expected that either Beach or Hanlan are going to row about for the sake of gratifying a number of spectators. The training and other expenses are too heavy to allow of that.

The thirteenth annual regatta of the Mercantile Rowing Club will be held this afternoon on the Parramatta River, races starting and finishing off the club "branch." The Mayor and Mayoress and many prominent lovers of aquatics have accepted the committee's invitation to be present. Beach, Hanlan, Matterson, and Perkins will in all probability witness the races.

Mr. J. G. Deeble's World's Sculling Race, announced for January next, is postponed until some more definite news is to hand of the intentions of the English and American scullers.

The North Shore Rowing Club Regatta will take place on Saturday next.

Entries for Double Bay Regatta must be made on October 21, either at Deeble's Hotel, or at Mortimer's Hotel, Double Bay.

John Teemer and Jacob Gaudaur are matched to row for the championship of America and £200 a side on October 27. On recent form, Teemer should win; but, taking the men's performances against Beach last year on the Thames, when Gaudaur was said to be hardly well, the latter should prove the better sculler.

The match sculling race between George Bubear, the English champion, and Wallace Ross, of New Brunswick, on Saratoga Lake, three miles with a turn, for 500dol. a side, was rowed on August 12. Bubear won the toss for position. The water was in splendid condition. Ross shot quickly ahead at the word, and speedily gained a lead of five boats' length; he was rowing 30 strokes to the minute, and Bubear 32. There was little change either in relative position or rapidity of stroke to the turn, which Ross made in 10 minutes 35 seconds, and Bubear in 10 minutes 40 seconds. Bubear then increased his pace and gained on his opponent, but Ross retained a good lead. When they were within a quarter of a mile of the finish Bubear was coming up rapidly, and Ross gathered himself for a spurt, but at the first pull his seat gave way. He arose quickly and sculled while sitting on the bottom of the boat, but Bubear pulled swiftly ahead of him, and won in 20 minutes; Ross finishing considerably later. Ross attributed his defeat entirely to his accident, but Bubear professed to think the result would have been the same any way. After the race Mr. Peter Durver, Bubear's backer, offered Mr. Buckingham, Ross's backer, to row the race over within 10 days, for 1000dol. a side, but the offer was not accepted.

The Sydney Amateur Canvas Dingy Club will open the season this afternoon with a series of evolutions by the club's boats, after which a luncheon will be given at Cremorne. The following evolutions will be gone through:—1, form line astern of commodore and follow; 2, form line abreast to starboard of commodore; 3, form line astern of commodore, follow, and jibe round steamer; 4, rendezvous at Cremorne. A steamer will leave Fort Macquarie at 2.45 p.m. sharp for Cremorne, after giving the visitors an opportunity to witness the evolutions. A good muster of the club's boats is expected. Mr. Andrew Dunn, the hon. secretary, has all the arrangements in hand; consequently a most successful opening is anticipated.

SYDNEY AMATEUR SAILING CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Sydney Amateur Sailing Club was held at Aarons's Exchange Hotel on Tuesday evening, September 27. Present—Com. Dietrich in the chair, Messrs. Stokes, Wilson, Peel, Rae, Creagh, Goddard, Jarvis, Firth, Clarke, H. B. Pickering, Carpenter, Carmichael, and J. W. Pickering. The fifteenth annual report was read and adopted, and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. The officers were unanimously re-elected, with these alterations, that Mr. T. H. Kelly was elected an additional vice-president, Mr. J. W. Pickering co-secretary with Mr. Carpenter, and Mr. E. Cameron was elected committeeman in place of Mr. Tidswell. The complete list of office-bearers is as follows:—Patron, His Excellency the Right Hon. Baron Carrington; president, Mr. James R. Fairfax; vice-presidents, Hon. George Thornton, M.L.C.; Hon. H. C. Dangar, M.L.C.; Mr. S. H. Hyam, Mr. Wm. Laidley, Mr. T. H. Kelly, and Mr. G. C. Elliott; commodore, Mr. E. M. Dietrich; vice-commodore, Mr. Thos. Marshall; captain, Mr. S. Mac Donnell; hon. treasurer, Mr. Thos. Stokes; hon. secretary, Mr. H. Carpenter; co-secretary, Mr. J. W. Pickering; committee, Messrs. F. G. Rae, P. R. Pedley, S. Wilson, H. B. Pickering, F. D. Peel, E. Cameron, and Jas. Middleton. The following new members were unanimously elected, viz.—Messrs. Hunt, A. E. and E. W. Heywood, Doran, W. Paul, jun., Brewer, Despointes, R. Carpenter, F. Russell, and C. G. Ireland; auditors, Messrs. Goddard and Gale.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Post entries for the 27th annual prize meeting of the New South Wales Rifle Association can be made up to and including the 15th instant. The secretary will be at the pavilion on the Rifle Range this afternoon, and on Saturday next, when intending competitors can complete their entrances.

SKITTLES.

A match for £10 a-side will be played this evening between two well known skittle players in Mr. J. O'Donnell's skittle alley, Crown-street.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT INSURANCE.

It will be remembered that a little time ago some particulars were published of a proposal made by the Railway Department of this colony for limiting the compensation payable in the case of persons injured in railway accidents, and the imposition of an insurance rate on all passenger tickets. The Windsor accident in Victoria appears to have brought the question into prominence there, just as the Peat's Ferry catastrophe revived the question here, and in the latest report of the Victorian Railway Commissioners, which deals with the railway transactions for the year ending June, 1887, and which has been laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly there, Messrs. Speight, Ford, and Greene have devoted some space to the discussion of the question. The report says:—"We think that the extent to which the State should be liable for personal injury to the public using the State railway deserves the most serious consideration. The fact already referred to, namely, that the increased earning power of the railway means a reduction in charge to the public for the service to department, clearly indicates that the department can at no time hope to get more than the bare cost of such service, plus the actual interest payable upon the money borrowed for constructing the railways. As, therefore, all those who use the railways participate in the benefits derivable from a service given at a minimum cost, the liability of the department should bear some reasonable relation to the consideration it received. It has been said that if railway carriers had not an indefinite liability attaching to them less care would be used by them in conducting the traffic, and accidents would be more frequent; but this needs no denial from those associated with the conduct of traffic business, and daily conversant with the anxieties connected therewith. It can scarcely be logically contended that, given a consideration of say three, a liability to an unlimited amount should be involved. The consideration paid should have some reasonable relation to the risk taken, and except in the case of railways this is the principle invariably acted upon. It is quite feasible to establish a system that would work equitably without prejudicially affecting travellers. Let a maximum liability of say 1000 be fixed, and adopt a system of insurance at a scale of rates sufficient only to cover the increased liability then taken with the utmost facility for effecting such insurance by means of which any person not content with the maximum established could secure an insurance for any amount that might be deemed necessary. The proceeds of such insurance would very soon establish a fund sufficient for special contingencies, and its necessity is the more evident when it is stated that no less than 254 claims have been the outcrop of the Windsor accident."

MILEAGE OF MOTORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In a paragraph in your issue of this day appears a reference evidently referring to the communication forwarded by the Coogee committee as to the trams to the Minister for Works, and by him sent to the Commissioner of Railways.

As the Commissioner considers 144 miles per diem excessive rate for the American motors, and their mileage at present (20,000) is in excess of 18,000 performed by English railway engines, I must request him to produce the statistics of the principal English lines in reference thereto. Chief Surgeon of the London, Chatham, and Dover, and underground railways, also Surgeon of the Great Western, I have been behind the scenes, and having practical knowledge of driving and stoking railway, marine, and stationary engines, I am unable to agree with the Commissioner's minute.

My friend, the late Richard England, Hatcham Engine Works, New Cross, prided himself on having turned out an engine which ran eighty (80) miles an hour.

Can the Commissioner explain why marine engines employed by the principal ocean steam shipping companies trading to this port can do at least 75,000 miles per annum, and perform their service with punctuality, which, unfortunately, we are not always able to obtain from the Commissioner's trams? I am, &c.,

R. B. READ,
Hon. Sec. Coogee Committee.

October 5.

THE RABBIT QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The sooner the authorities wake up to the necessities of the situation the better for all parties concerned. The present system of paying bonuses for scalps does not lessen the evil at all, and until it is done away with there is every inducement for rabbitters to increase and spread the pest. Rabbitters will only trap where the vermin are to be caught in numbers, and where, without trouble, they can make their £2, £3, or £4 per week. When they cannot do this they leave - and leave behind them enough rabbits to breed up again. What is required for the purpose of effectually stopping the spread of this pest is netting in the runs, and after that, even subdivisions of netting, on the present lines of fence. The different enclosures could then be cleared by the various means now employed; by scouring off the grass with heavy bodies of sheep, and removing them to lay poison for the rabbits, by poisoning the holes with carbon, burning hollow logs, and rooting them out in a systematic manner.

All acknowledge that the present and past trapping does not, and has not, ever stopped the increase of vermin, that the returns of rabbits destroyed are ever on the increase, and that before long the yearly profits from infested stations will not be sufficient to pay for rabbit-destruction alone, to say nothing of working expenses and interest of capital invested. No doubt in such a serious case legislation should not be too rash; but I would strongly urge upon those whose business it is to meet the evil, that there is no time to lose; that the broad principles of the remedy are patent to all who have any experience of the subject; that it is no new thing, but has been used with effect in Victoria, New Zealand, and elsewhere; and even if it should fail to effectually do away with the pest, it will confine it to given areas; and the bonus system being done away with, it will be no man's interest to carry rabbits about with them from one part of the country to the other as is done at present, nor to let breeding rabbits go when caught in the traps, as they threaten to do. I am, &c.,

INFESTED RUNHOLDER.

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THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL AT CROOKWELL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CROOKWELL, FRIDAY.

The dinner last night in connection with the annual ploughing matches was largely attended. Mr. F. Shepherd presided, and amongst those present were the Hon. C. J. Roberts, Postmaster-General, and Messrs. Holborow, T. Ball, Colls, H. Taylor, and Dawson, Ms.L.A. The chairman proposed "The Health of the Ministry," and spoke in the highest terms of their actions, which he thought were endorsed by a large majority of the people. He was sure Crookwell would consider itself highly complimented by the presence of the Postmaster-General.

The toast was received with much enthusiasm.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL, in replying to the toast, said he had frequently heard the resources of the district spoken of, and he now felt convinced that the statement had not been exaggerated. He referred to the comfortable-looking appearance of the people and their snug houses, which he had seen on the journey between Goulburn and Crookwell. He was glad the chairman had a good opinion of the Ministry. He reviewed the political condition of the country from 1882 to the present time. He showed what steps had been taken in the matter of retrenchment by the present Government, and also what measures had been and would be introduced, explaining many details of the bills before the House. He dwelt at some length on the alteration they had made in the fiscal policy, and the removal of the pressure upon the people by the abolition of the ad valorem duties. He averred that the Government had kept the promises made when taking office. He was sure the Land Bill that Mr. Garrett would introduce would be for the benefit of the people. He was proud that his name stood recorded in the division-list with Sir John Robertson as one who voted against the Stuart Land Bill. He apologised for the absence of his colleagues. He knew the district was anxious for a railway to connect it with the metropolis, and on his return he would state to his colleagues what he had seen. He could not promise anything, excepting that the claims of Crookwell would meet with fair consideration. He then quoted statistics supplied by an officer of his department, which showed in unmistakeable terms the progress made by the Crookwell Post-office, which was established in 1867. He was frequently applauded throughout his address, which was of a thoroughly practical character.

Mr. W. H. Oram proposed "The Parliament."

Messrs. Holborow, T. Ball, Hugh Taylor, Dawson, and Colls responded.

The prizes in the ploughing matches were then handed to the winners. Mr. Holborow then proposed "The successful competitors." Mr. Chas. Howard responded. Mr. Dawson proposed "The unsuccessful competitors." Mr. Taylor proposed "The agricultural, pastoral, commercial, and financial interests," which was responded to by Messrs. John Broderick, John Howard, Ezra Harvey, G. D. Hay, G. Canadell, O. Furner, and H. J. Corbett. In addition to the ploughs of the competitors yesterday, Messrs. Lassetter and Co., of Sydney, had on the ground a sulky plough from the firm of Ransome and Sims. This has steel shares, makes a furrow 14in. to 16in. wide, and 5in. to 8in. deep. It weighs 4¼cwt., and can be worked by two or three horses, according to the land. The operator rides on the implement.

THE GOVERNMENT GRANT IN AID OF GOLD MINING.

REPORT BY THE PROSPECTING BOARD.

Some weeks ago the board appointed by the Minister for Mines to deal with the applications for a share in the prospecting vote granted by Parliament last session visited Mount Browne for the purpose of examining the workings there. The board consisted of Mr. Harrie Wood (Under-Secretary for Mines), Mr. C. S. Wilkinson (Geological Surveyor), and Mr. W. H. J. Slee (Inspector of Mines), who have reported to the Minister as follows:—"We have the honour to report that we have inspected the workings at Mount Browne, distant from this town (Milparinka) about 10 miles in a south-westerly direction. The formation here consists of slate range, surrounded by cretaceous gravels. The latter have been worked as surfacing on the slate, and followed into deeper ground at the southern end of the range to a depth of 222ft., when they struck water, which was some 10 or 12 feet above their workings, and prevented further operations below that level. Two loads taken from the lowest level reached, namely, in the All Nations claim, gave 3oz. of gold. About three miles north-east of Mount Browne a lead known as the One Mile is now being worked, and has in the Lady Ann claim reached a depth of 130ft., where the lead is about 40ft. wide, with 15 inches of wash, which yields about one ounce per load, and is dry. The other workings in this locality consist of surfacing and shallow deposits in gullies. Many of these gullies have not been sufficiently prospected, and some have not been prospected at all. The slate formation is traversed by numerous quartz reefs, and as specimen gold is found in the alluvial there is reason to believe that the reefs are the chief source of the gold, and that some of them will probably pay for working. This class of auriferous country extends to Depot Glen, a distance of 11 miles in a direct northerly direction from Mount Browne. About two miles north-east of Mount Poole are the Good Friday diggings. These, like those of Mount Browne, are situated on the margin of another elevated track of slate formation, about five miles in width and 17 miles in length, trending in a north-easterly direction, and forming the Whittaburra ranges. In many places over this area shallow gullies have been worked for gold, but have by no means been exhausted owing to the scarcity of water. Near the centre of this area good gold-bearing reefs have been opened, and one (the Whittaburra) reef has been worked to a depth of 200ft. (Vide Mr. Warden Slee's report in 1881 upon this reef.) We noticed that the slate formation in this area is traversed by numerous quartz reefs. The next auriferous area is that in which the township of Tibbooburra is situated, and includes the Two-mile Granite, Easter Monday, Nuggetty, and Six-mile diggings. The extent of this area is 10 miles long, in an easterly and westerly direction, and from two to eight miles wide, making about 45 square miles. With the exception of the Granite diggings, where the deposits are on granite, the formation is slate, and similar to that already described. The granite formation covers an area of about four and a half square miles. Of this area about one and a half square miles have been proved auriferous. The workings consist entirely of surfacing, and gold is extracted by puddling. There are 13 puddling machines, besides a few toms and cradles, working on the Granite diggings; but there is a large portion of these diggings that is not being worked for want of water. On the slate formation surrounding the Granite diggings there are from 15 to 20 puddling machines at work and others in course of erection; but there is a very large area of auriferous deposits on this formation, which, owing to the want of water, is not being worked. There are numerous quartz reefs traversing this slate formation. In two or three places they have been tested, but have not, when tested, proved payable. The applications for aid in this district are as follow:—1. By the Progress Committee of Milparinka. 2. By R. Mannering. 3. By the Progress Committee of Tibbooburra. 4. By Thomas Rouse. The board has dealt with these applications in the above order, and makes the following recommendations:—With reference to the first application, the Progress Committee of Milparinka and the miners at Mount Browne expressed a desire that any aid granted might be devoted to testing the deep ground at the southern end of the Mount Browne range. For this purpose it will be necessary to sink a shaft to a depth of from 240 to 300 feet, or to enlarge the shaft known as M'Clure's, and to carry it down to the required depth. The cost of sinking a shaft 9ft. by 3ft. in the clear, and timbering the same with requisite divisions, is estimated at £3 10s per foot to a depth of 200ft., and £5 15s. per foot below that depth. No estimate was furnished of the cost of enlarging M'Clure's shaft, but the board is of opinion that it might be done for £2 10s. per foot. They also propose that in the event of gold not being found in payable quantity on the bottom, to construct a prospecting drive or drives 200ft in length. They estimate the cost of constructing and timbering the drive at £3 per foot. In view of the fact that this work if successful will probably open up a large field of labour, which the miners unaided appear to be unable to prospect, and as it is proposed to raise in the locality a sum of £3000 for the purpose of these works, towards which sum the miners have already undertaken to subscribe £815, your board is of opinion that out of the prospecting vote aid should be granted to the extent of 50 per cent. of the cost of sinking, such cost to be ascertained by inviting tenders, and if driving be necessary the same percentage of the cost ascertained in a similar manner; the Progress Committee, in undertaking to provide all necessary machinery and appliances from funds raised locally, progress payments to be made on the certificate of the warden as the work proceeds at the rate of 75 per cent. of the aid granted. In support of the foregoing recommendation, your board would point out that these works would benefit the whole of this district, inasmuch as they would indicate the nature of the work to be done in testing similar deep deposits on this field. With respect to the second application, your board, in view of the large sum required to aid the work at Mount Browne, and the fact that Mr. Mannering proposes to test shallow deposits, which are already being tested so far as water is available, do not recommend that this application be entertained. With respect to the third application, your board do not, in view of the very large area of surfacing and shallow deposits still to be worked, feel justified in recommending that any part of the vote be granted for prospecting in this locality; but seeing such large areas of auriferous ground are lying unworked for want of water, and that if water were available they would probably afford profitable employment to thousands of miners for a considerable time, your board is of opinion that borings for artesian water should be undertaken in such positions as are most favourable to the find of water that will command these deposits. The dams which supply the puddling machines at present at work are very small, and, unless the rainfall be frequent, will not keep the machines at work all the year round; and in the event of a recurrence of the drought, the miners now at work will be thrown out of employment, and will probably have to leave the district for want of water for domestic purposes. As to the further application, your board cannot recommend that it be entertained, as one or more reefs in the locality have been tested and proved payable, but are not being worked for want of suitable appliances."

The recommendations have been approved by the Minister for Mines, and it has been ordered that the work be carried out as suggested in the report.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The following quotations were received in the Mining market up to 1 o'clock yesterday:— Burwood Coal, 31s. 6d., 31s.; Wallsend Coal, 45s.; Katoomba Coal, 13s.; Broken Hill Junction Silver, 30s.; North, 13s., 13s. 3d.; Central (paid up), 21s. 9d.; Pinnacle Group Silver, 15s., 15s. 3d.; Pinnacle Tribute Silver, 33s. 6d.; Victoria Cross Silver, 10s. 6d., 10s., 10s. 3d., 9s. 6d., 9s. 3d.; Terrible Dick Silver, 23; Band and Albion Gold, 59s. 3d., 61s. The afternoon sales were:—Burwood Coal, 32s.; Stockton Coal, 36s. 6d.; Broken Hill Junction Silver, 28s. 6d.; Broken Hill North Silver, 13s. 3d.; ditto South (paid-up), 20s.; Central Broken Hill Silver (paid-up), 22s.; Pinnacle Tribute Silver, 34s, 33s. 6d.; Rising Sun Silver, 9s. 9d.; Terrible Dick Silver, 24, 23.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli ...	7½	9	Broken Hill South, 20s p.	19/6	20/6
Burwood ...	32/	32/9	Ditto, 13s paid	—	15/
Newcastle ...	—	—	Webb's (call p)	15/	—
Stockton ...	36/3	37/	Central Broken Hill, ex Blk.	21/6	22/
New issue ...	—	—	Ditto, 14s 6d p.	15/	16/6
Vale of Clwydd	18/6	21/	Broken Hill Junction ...	28/	28/6
Wallsend ...	44½	45	Day Dream ...	—	7/
Waratah ...	17	17½	Round Hills ...	—	—
Wickham and Bullock Is'nd	16/	16/6	Pin'acle Group	13/6	14/
Ditto, preferential, 5s pd.	6/6	7/6	Rising Sun ...	9/3	9/9
Katoomba ...	12/6	15/	Victoria Cross	—	6/
Ditto, preferential, 1s paid	1/1	1/3	Terrible Dick	22½	24
West Wallsend, 20s paid	14/3	14/6	Band & Albion	58/6	—
Ditto, 11s paid	6/3	6/9	Broken Hill N.	12/6	13/
Hetton ...	6¾	7¼	Ravenswood ...	19/	20/
Great Cobar Copper ...	—	4/6	Victory ...	14/9	16/
New Mt. Hope	—	6/	New Reform, Lucknow ...	5/9	6/
Nymagee ...	5/	7/	Lankelly	—	—
Sunny Corner	6/6	—	Duke, Timor	—	—
Eveleen, 20s p.	9/3	9/6	Mou't Morgan	—	8
Pinnacle T'bte	33/6	34/	Hustler's Trb.	—	—
Broken Hill ...	185	195	Great Exten'd Hustler's ...	—	—
Ditto, Block 14	8½	8¾	Adeline ...	—	11/

The New South Wales Mining and Stock Exchange reports the following transactions:—Terrible Dick, £20; Mount George, 6s. 6d.; Mount George (Tasmania), buyers 5s., sellers 6s. 6d.; New Reform, sellers 7s. 6d.; New Reform Pups, paid up to 6s., sellers 6s.; Gold Hills, paid up, to 8s., buyers 8s. 6d., sellers, 9s. 9d.; Ophir Deep Lead, paid up to £10, sellers, £19; Williams' Mount Morgan, buyers £52, sellers £58; Lubra, sellers 6d.; Wesley, paid up to 20s., sellers 1s.; Severn River, paid up to 20s., sellers 21s.; Giant's Den, paid up to 20s., sellers 6s.; Hell Hole (Proprietary), buyers £900.

The following were the telegraphic quotations posted at the Exchange yesterday morning:—Melbourne: Silver, Broken Hill (No. 14 Block Company), buyers £8 11s., sellers £8 12s., sales £8 12s.; Broken Hill Proprietary, buyers £198, sellers £190, sales £190; Junction, buyer 28s., seller 29s., sales 28s.; Central (contributing), buyer 14s. 6d.; North, seller 13s.; Black Prince, buyer 4s. 9d., seller 4s. 10½d., sales 4s. 9d.; Pinnacle Tribute Silver, buyer 33s. 9d., seller 34s. 3d., sales 34s. 3d.; Round Hill, buyer 66s., seller 70s.; Rising Sun, buyer 9s. 3d., seller 9s. 6d., sale 10s. Gold: Band and Albion, seller 61s.; Chalks, seller 42s. 6d.; Duke's Timor, buyer 37s., seller 38s., sales 37s.; Kong Meng, buyer 65s., seller 70s. Adelaide: Silver—Broken Hill: Proprietary, buyers, £190; sellers, £191; sales, 191½. Block 14: Buyer, £8 13s.; seller, £8 15s.; sales, £8 13s., £8 12s. Junction: Buyer, 29s.; seller, 30s. 6d.; sales, 29s. to 28s. Central: Contributing, buyer, 15s.; seller, 16s.; sales, 16s. Pinnacle Tribute: Buyer, 32s.; seller, 33s.; sales, 32s. Eveleen: Buyer, 9s.; seller, 9s.; sales, 9s.

The hon. secretary of the Sydney Stock Exchange reports the crushing of the Band and Albion Gold Company, Ballarat, for the week to have been 310 tons stone for a yield of 193oz. gold.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

New Reform Pups Gold-mining Company, Lucknow, October 6.—Since my last have shipped 64 bags of ore per Habsburg; the stone in the bottom level shows a decided improvement; cleaned up £100 worth of free gold to-day; very busy putting in an underground dam; will complete early next week and pump eight hours in place of 24; machinery as usual.

Ophir Deep-lead (Sydney) Syndicate Gold Claim, Beaconsfield, Tasmania, by wire, October 7.—Been going through water-worn boulders, decayed timber, and other vegetation all week. Getting on to clay formation, just what I have been anxious to see. Shaft perfectly safe; depth, 265ft; gold about the same as last reported.

Cosgrove's Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited.—The mining manager reports still driving from 62ft. level. Not yet reached lode No. 2 shaft. Struck very rich chloride ore to-day, impregnated thickly through ore. No. 3 shaft, depth 55ft. Some very nice ore showing. Lode widening and ore improving as sunk on. No. 4 shaft started last week on kaolin lode, showing in north trench.

Webb's Silver-mining Company, Limited.—Messrs. Watt and Dodds have received the following report from the mining manager, under date October 3:—No change underground. Only one man is employed driving second level south of No. 6 shaft. Two men employed driving south of No. 2 shaft, in southern block. They started yesterday, having been employed last week in opening out some very rich surface patches on the outcrop. The coopers expect to finish the vats in eight or ten days from date. All work is progressing favourably, and, unless we have any unforeseen difficulties, I see no reason why we should not be in working order by end of year.

Terrible Dick Silver-mining Company, Limited.—The managing director, under date 7th October, reports by telegram:—Bottom level north, making into good carbonates, with native silver. Mine looking very well. Working full shifts in all drives. Ordered boiler and engine from Adelaide. Thorne pushing on plans for smelter.

The mine manager of the Broken Hill South Silver Mine telegraphs that the main shaft is now down 105ft., and is timbered 93ft. No change in the country.

Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company.—Messrs. Watt and Dodds have received the following telegram from the mining manager, under date October 7.—Built in bed of boiler; now laying foundations of engine. Shaft cut down 70ft. Boiler not yet arrived.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Share report.—Sales: Broken Hill Proprietary, £189, £190 5s.; Block 14, £8 14s., £8 10s.; Junction, 28s., 29s. 6d.; North, 13s. 3d.; Pinnacle Tribute, 33s., 36s., 35s.; Victoria Cross, 6s. 9d; Dukes, 37s. 6d., 36s.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Brokens, £190, £191 10s.; a 96th Wankaroo Tin Syndicate, £100; Blocks, £8 4s, £9; Wirrialpas, £2 2s.; Tributes, £1 12s., £1 15s. 10½d.; Junctions, £1 7s. 6d., £1 10s.; Umberumberka, contributing, £1 8s., £1 9s; Centrals, paid, £1 1s.; South, paid, £1 1s.; Mount Carringtons, gold, 16s. 6d., 17s. 6d; Centrals, contributing, 15s., 16s.; Souths, contributing, 16s.; Birds, gold, paid, 12s. 6d., 13s. 9d; Eveleens, 9s. 3d.; Caloolas, 6s. 6d., 6s. 9d.; Jubilee, tin, 6s. 6d.; Lady Berry, contributing, 5s. 1½d., 5s. 6d.; M'Donnell Range Rubies, contributing, 5s.; Princes, 4s. 6d., 5s.; Blows, contributing, 4s. 3d; Sebastapols, contributing, 3s. 6d.; Southern Crosses, contributing, 3s. 3d., 3s. 4½d.; Eras, 1s. 3d.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

1000 Mount Morgans were wanted in Rockhampton to-day, but were not obtainable at £8. South Morgans, 3s. paid up, sold at auction at 20s.

BROKEN HILL, FRIDAY.

The return for the Broken Hill mine for the week was:—Ore treated, 1158 tons; bullion produced, 258 tons, containing 44,572oz. of silver. The Pinnacles machinery has been delayed, and will not start before Monday. It is expected that the machinery will be erected at North Broken Hill within six weeks. The manager anticipates cutting the lode in the main shaft within 20ft. more. Water has been heavy, but it it is now decreasing.

CARCOAR, FRIDAY.

The monthly district escort took 909oz. 7dwt. 6gr. of gold. During the last few days several gold leases have been taken up near the Junction Falls, comprising over 100 acres. In Mullaly's paddock Tucker and party finished a crushing, yielding 9dwt. of gold to the ton. Several other claimholders in the same neighbourhood intend shortly crushing.

SILVERTON, FRIDAY.

Silverton is very brisk just now. A great many people are visiting the silver fields from town, and it is expected that when the railway opens many more will do so. New claims are being taken out every day, and old ones are being developed. Tin-mining is assuming large proportions, and everything tends to show that Silverton will be one, if not the most important, of the mining centres in Australia.

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

At the miners' delegate meeting yesterday ballot returns were taken on the notice of motion from the Burwood lodge, "That any lodge refusing to call their roll at any demonstration or aggregate meeting, and also refusing to fine members for non-attendance, shall be fined the sum of £20 for any lodge having 400 members and under, and over 400 members to be fined £30; such fines to go to the general fund." The motion was carried. It was resolved,—"That the Maryville case stand over, and a local deputation along with the general secretary wait upon the manager to ascertain why the colliery was stopped without the usual 14 days' notice." It was resolved,—"That any union man taking any person on the coal, or working with anyone who has never got any coal, unless he is an operative, shall pay the sum of £5 into the funds and only get half a turn for the first six months he is getting coal." It was resolved "That the time has arrived when the miners of the Hunter River district should insist on cut-throughs being put through pillars at 10 yards, or bratticing to be put in bords for the first 10 yards where bords are broken away four yards wide or under." It was also resolved "That, in the event of payment to Burwood miners being carried by the district, the district officers fix a levy of 2½ per cent. on gross earnings until the sum to pay them is raised."

ARMIDALE, FRIDAY.

The Baker's Creek Gold-mining Company (late Smith and party) started their crushing machine on Wednesday in the presence of about 150 visitors, amidst much enthusiasm. Everything went well except the pumps, which will cause delay. Great results are anticipated; 185oz. of gold were brought into town yesterday from the mine, the result of two and a-half weeks' dollying. The Carrington adjoining is also showing grand stone. There has been a great influx of population to the mine.

Waugh's Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—Advt.

COMMERCIAL.

The following table shows the declared value of Imports and Exports at the Sydney Customs from January 1 to October 1, 1886 and 1887:—

—		1886. Imports.	1886. Exports.	1887. Imports.	1887. Exports.
January	8	£421,748	£430,137	£179,898	£292,636
"	15	446,843	207,832	232,377	275,854
"	22	374,999	230,136	279,632	311,847
"	29	470,646	270,792	267,050	144,977
February	5	478,593	307,687	398,902	267,991
"	12	415,828	349,387	417,412	242,715
"	19	429,073	264,143	261,528	303,450
"	26	456,958	164,132	299,703	167,986
March	5	325,331	148,786	162,673	202,996
"	12	343,206	157,100	245,787	204,456
"	19	367,037	143,572	324,759	127,982
"	26	509,223	207,947	359,706	252,908
April	2	462,116	166,867	278,089	155,656
"	9	284,576	102,721	292,764	86,486
"	16	346,067	222,625	241,199	214,886
"	23	309,178	180,663	335,896	148,322
"	30	312,467	176,274	165,907	151,150
May	7	340,244	156,868	156,822	157,121
"	14	222,416	126,057	241,272	181,665
"	21	286,122	219,015	168,291	113,124
"	28	99,848	130,364	136,075	73,643
June	4	375,609	244,113	271,422	512,096
"	11	177,532	104,435	257,744	54,362
"	18	315,853	172,789	333,698	71,817
"	25	336,823	301,914	197,805	60,048
July	2	345,730	104,019	269,650	84,284
"	9	346,570	142,783	214,962	173,333
"	16	328,775	122,986	196,439	149,129
"	23	310,536	141,092	470,542	110,031
"	30	207,946	106,740	222,126	88,462
August	6	321,697	59,405	255,111	39,455
"	13	274,304	181,337	345,334	116,540
"	20	494,582	131,182	289,537	247,936
"	27	235,163	104,123	196,224	163,308
September	3	279,097	126,674	206,097	150,324
"	10	268,059	140,901	398,933	303,209
"	17	351,572	98,909	235,207	115,745
"	24	308,553	146,692	202,755	199,131
October	1	337,198	181,852	276,901	165,092
Totals		£13,125,061	£6,874,406	10,251,777	£6,982,819

The total value of imports at the port of Sydney for the week ending October 1, 1887, amounts to £276,901, of which the principal items are:—

Apparel and drapery, £50,785; boots and shoes, £1156; brandy, £1100; dried fruit, £1040; flour, £6945; gold, £71,099; hardware, £9645; rice, £4928; sugar, £9116; skins and hides, £1434; tea, £28,400; tin ore, £6034; tin ingots, £7000; timber, £3108; tobacco and cigars, £1585; whisky, £2400; wool, £7429.

The total value of exports for the same period amounts to £165,092, of which the principal items are:—

Bullion, £1165; boots, £3160; books, £1579; copper, £2315; drapery, £8424; fruit, £5666; hardware, £3949; hides, £6400; jewellery, £1628; oil stores, £1111; ores, £2160; sugar, £1200; skins, £5403; wool, £114,288; produce, £4077.

The following was the Customs revenue for the month ending September 30, 1887:—

Spirits, £53,389 4s 3d; wine, still, £2556 9s 5d; ditto, sparkling, £701 8s 1d; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £999 15s; ditto ditto (in bottles), £3339 19s 5d; tobacco and snuff, £3539 18s 3d; tobacco (unmanufactured), £42; ditto ditto (for manufacturing purposes only), £3273 8s; cigars, £4395 4s 8d; cigarettes, £1032 12s 4d; tea, £9087 19s 2d; coffee, £95 8s; ditto (raw), £473 2s; chicory, £196; ditto (raw), £25 12s; sugar (refined), £14 13s 4d; ditto (unrefined), £8746 8s 3d; ditto (molasses), £449 2s 2d; opium, £1483 5s; rice, £1830 18s 5d; dried fruits, £2589 1s 4d; nuts, £25 10s 9d; sarsaparilla (over 25 per cent.), £3 12s; ditto (under 25 per cent.), £10 16s 8d; specific duty, £20,514 8s; ad valorem duties, £11,247 16s 6d; bonded warehouses, 42 Vic., No. 19, £53 15s 10d; harbour and light rates, £669 2s 8d; pilotage, Sydney, £1421 18s 6d; outports, £40 14s 4d; harbour dues, £183 5s; colonial distilled spirits, £1211 11s 2d; excise on tobacco, £12,002 7s 6d; ditto cigars and cigarettes, £113 11s 8d; ditto beer, £8323 8s 2d; tobacco factory license fees, £25; Chinese restriction, £970; fisheries royalty, £55 16s: total, £156,193 2s 3d.

The revenue collected on articles under other specific duties at Sydney for the month of September was as follows:—

Acid, tartaric, £22 1s 2d; aerated and mineral waters, £19 11s 3d; arrowroot, £11 9s 10d; bacon and ham, £455 12s 8d; barley, pearl, prepared and patent, £3 12s; baking powder, yeast custard, and egg powders, and self-raising flour, £2 14s 6d; bags, calico, 1s 8d; bags, paper (plain), £15 4s 5d; biscuits (other than ship), £13 12s 4d; bi-carbonate soda, £8 8s; bitters over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £55 6s 10d; bitters under 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £167 7s 9d; blue, £6 8s 8d; bolts, spikes, nuts, rivets, screws, bolt rings, and washers (plain or galvanised metal), £49 18s 5d; butter, £430 7s 10d; candles, £800 12s 10d; cement, £1827 12s; cheese, £73 4s 4d; cocoa and chocolate (plain or mixed with any other article), £246 10s 4d; confectionery (including cakes, comfits, liquorice, liquorice paste, lozenges of all kinds, cocoanut in sugar, sugar candy, succades and sweetmeats), £281 9s 3d; cordage, £19 6s 10d; cordials not containing spirit, £10 11s 4d; cornflour and maizena, £42 3s 4d; cream tartar, £21 9s 4d; doors (wood), £142; dynamite and lithofracteur, £3 6s 8d; effervescing powder and powders, £4 4s 2d; essences over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £61 12s 6d; essences under 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £1 9s 8d; farinaceous and milk foods, £11 13s; fish (dried, preserved, or salt, including fish paste), £1071 2s 4d; fruit salts, £5 14s 6d; gasoline, £16; galvanised iron, £3155 12s 8d; galvanised manufactures, £288 14s 4d; gelatine and isinglass, £3 19s; ginger, £41 14s 7d; glue and size, £1 11s 4d; glucose (solid), £2 13s; glucose (liquid), £50 10s 2d; groats (patent), £4 15s 8d; honey, 3d; iron chains not otherwise exempted, £6 6s 6d; iron and steel wire, £1285 15s 6d; jams and jellies, £645 8s 7d; lard, £4 16s 11d; lead (sheet, roll, and pipe), £43 17s 9d; macaroni and vermicelli, £6 14s 10d; meat extract, 9s 9d; meat (preserved), £10 13s 2d; milk (condensed or preserved), £550 7s 2d; mustard, £22 15s 5d; nails, £71 14s 1d; naphtha, £2 10s; oatmeal, £6 15s; oil (kerosene), £1291 4s; oils (in bottle), £126 8s 9d; oils (other), £996 10s 11d; oilmen's stores, sauces, and pickles, £73 4s 2d; paints and colours (ground in oil), £436 5s 6d; paper (brown), £34 9s 3d; paper (advertising matter), £25 5s 4d; pepper, £84 8s 4d; pitch, tar, and resin, £2 18s 3d; plaster and plaster of Paris, £4 14s; powder (blasting), £195; powder (sporting), £44 18s 9d; preserves, £73 5s 4d; putty, £1 1s 6d; rice flour, £14 11s 4d; rope (gross) £30 4s; safes (iron) and iron doors, £2 3s 6d; sago, £14 11s 10d; salt, £1023 6s 7d; saltpetre, £4 1s 5d; shot, £61 1s 8d; soap (toilet and fancy scented), £19 14s 9d; soap (other than fancy), £12 11s 10d; soda crystals (gross), £90 15s 1d; spices (including carraway seeds and chillies) £23 19s 4d; spirits (methylated), £331 12s; starch and starch powder, £44 19s; tapioca and semilina, £177 8s 3d; tinctures, £102 2s 4d; timber (dressed), £446 16s 2d; timber (undressed), £1410 19s 9d; turpentine, £46 1s 6d; varnish, £258 12s; vegetables (preserved), £34 8s 5d; vinegar, £11 17s 10d; wax (Japan, paraffine, mineral, and vegetable), £4 7s 4d; woolpacks, £576 2s 1d; zinc (perforated or manufactured), 8s 11d; total, £20,514 8s.

THE WOOL TRADE.

As so much more of the new clip has arrived in store since we previously remarked on its condition, we are now able to report more decidedly than then as to the superiority which characterises it. Speaking of the wools from Riverina (about Naranders), of which there are portions of several good-sized brands in store, we find that, as compared with last year's growth, there is in each case more depth of staple and lightness of condition, whilst the comparative freedom from burr in wools which have previously been noted for burr is remarkable.

From Young and its neighbourhood numerous clips have put in appearance, which for brightness, lightness, and soundness of staple have not been equalled since 1879. Instances certainly occur where grass seeds tend to mar the otherwise excellent wool, but there is yet room for hope that further arrivals may show this to be a fault not generally affecting the clips from this favoured district. From about Mudgee some good wools have come in, but only in one or two brands is the true Mudgee type, which characterised the produce of the district 10 or 12 years ago, any longer discernible. The superfine clothing wool has given way to a quality longer in staple, less dense, and not so fine in quality. Although lighter in condition than in some former seasons, the clips to hand from this quarter do not as a rule show the same improvement in this respect as those from other districts. As regards the wools from the Castlereagh and Macquarie, the are generally characterised by brightness of condition, soundness and length of staple; but as usual, grass seeds to a greater or less extent are conspicuous. Liverpool Plains wools are less heavy in yolk than ordinarily, but increased length of staple is not so noticeable as in growths elsewhere. With respect to the Namoi, as compared with other seasons, wools from there show the lightness of condition in a greater degree than perhaps from any other part of the colony. Musky backs are not present in the clips we have seen; whilst the generally increased length of staple is readily observable. As a whole, after a careful examination of such brands as have been submitted to our inspection, we are disposed to consider that the superiority of the wools now coming to the market from all parts of the colony over any shorn since 1880 is fully established. To the squatting community, who through such a lengthy series of adverse seasons have had to contend against causes so detrimental to the production of a sound, well-conditioned wool, this outcome of the auspicious change from drought to favourable weather must be specially gratifying, and will doubtless tend to imbue them with fresh courage to meet difficulties which the future may yet have in store.

The following are some of the principal clips, of which portions have gone into warehouse during the week:—Midkin, Thurulgoona, R. Cox over Marrar, New Park over Burrenbilla, MAC, Buckingbong, Y, WH&B over Dumbie. The Rock, R. Barton over Mooculta, LFI over Goolhi, JP over Myall Park, MF over Woodlands, Davison over Wilga Downs, GHG over Jandra, GHG over Mount Oriel, J over CM in diamond over Bland, F&EH over R, WRC over Mullah, H over Moonbie, WW over Toolagan, R, WI, W. Turnbull over Middle Park, Melrose Plains, Murrulebale, SH over Mimosa, JMS in a block, WFB over Killarney, S over Gunbower, B&C over New England, RCC over Mulga, JMM over Weetalabah, APB over Walloon, JH over X, Warroo, OBY, Gobabla, Kildarey, TROFFS, Flood, DVS over Puen Buen, 1B, R. Hall over Namoi, HFG over N.S.W., Coronga Downs, Weelong, Durham Court, FFG, AR over Attunga, MC over L, M in diamond JSS over Taluba.

There has been only one sale of any importance held during the week, which terminated the winter series. Particulars as follows:—

Date.	Firm.	Bales offered.	Bales sold.
October 4 ..	Harrison, Jones, and Devlin	73 ..	50
Previously since 1st July ..	.. ..	2602 ..	2362
	Total..	2675 ..	2412

Arrivals.—Wool is coming to hand freely, the quantity by rail and sea for the week being 19,858 bales, as against 11,158 bales for same week last year.

Exports.—These include two vessels, taking as under:—

Date.	Vessel.	Bales.
September 30 ..	Roma (s.)	887
October	Yarra (s.)	1,729
		2,616
To which add previous shipments ..		31,822
Giving a total since July 1 ..		34,438

as against 34,487 bales same period last year, and 41,718 bales in 1885.

Messrs. Mort and Co. purpose offering a small catalogue of wool on Wednesday, the 12th instant, which they will term their opening sale. The week following most of the auctioneers will commence the season, when some fair-sized catalogues will be brought forward.

The season was opened in Melbourne yesterday by Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, who report having offered 2500 and sold 1000 bales, average greasy wool realising up to 8¾d. Competition is stated to have been animated up to the full London equivalent. The comparatively small quantity sold is probably due to the usual hesitancy on the part of both buyers and sellers to do business at a first sale. The former have usually to cable to their head-quarters for instructions after the opening, whilst in the present instance vendors are doubtless loth to concur at once in the acceptance of such a serious decline on last year's values as, judging from above-quoted price, will apparently have to be submitted to. At the opening sale of the same firm, held on October 13, 1886, inferior to good greasy sold at from 6½d. to 12d. per lb.

The London sales, as will have been seen by our cablegrams, have closed at from ½d. to 2d. per lb. lower than the rates ruling in the July series of sales, the better qualities of wool suffering less than others.

Sheepskins.—There is a decidly weaker tone in the market, and we have to report a fall of 6d. per skin on green, and ½d. per lb. on dry skins. The latest quotations are: Butcher's green skins—tops, 42d. to 48d.; good, 30d. to 36d.; medium, 20d. to 26d.; pelts, 6d. to 12d., according to quality. Dry station skins—full-woolled, 5d.; three-quarter woolled, 4d. to 4½d.; half-woolled, 3d. to 3½d.; quarter-woolled, 2d. to 2½d.; pelts, 1d. to 2d. per lb. At these figures large catalogues have been cleared.

Freight for wool to London and Antwerp by steamer, ½d. and ⅝d. respectively for greasy and washed; by sailing vessel, ⅜d. and ½d. Tonnage is plentiful, and rates are less stiff than a week ago.

PRODUCE MARKET—FRIDAY.

At Darling Harbour sales this morning the attendance of the trade was small. A fair supply of forage and a large quantity of wood were submitted. In forage, excepting for good lots, competition was again weak. Business in wood was inactive. At the wharfs average supplies were received from Northern rivers, Southern ports, and neighbouring colonies. Business was exclusively for the day's requirements. Onions were dearer, but otherwise values were unchanged. The following rates were realised at Darling Harbour sales:—

Wood.—Large market. The demand was slack at per ton:—Billet, 5s 6d to 9s 6d; bundle, 7s 6d to 12s 6d; foot, 8s 6d to 12s 6d; bakers', 9s to 11s.

Hay.—Moderate supplies. The best lines were quitted under steady competition at firm values, but other sorts were competed for with caution and sparingly at late low rates. Good oaten, in bundles, 5s to 5s 5d per cwt.; other descriptions, from 2s 5d; bales, 5s; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 4s 3d to 4s 6d.

Straw.—Light consignments. Clean and bright, in bundles, 2s to 3s per cwt.

Chaff.—A little larger quantity of prime samples forward. Oaten, in bags, 3s 5d to 5s per cwt. Inferior was difficult to dispose, from 1s 6d.

At the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Maize—More active tone is experienced in this market, especially for good river lines, which are still quoted at 3s 8d to 3s 9d per bushel. African maize weak at 3s 5d to 3s 6d.

Oats.—Good stout heavy feed are saleable at 2s 1d to 2s 2d per bushel; medium and dark unimproved from 1s 11d; seed to 2s 3d.

Barley.—Best Cape seed still nominally worth 3s to 3s 3d per bushel.

Bran quoted at 7½d to 8d per bushel.

Pollard at 7½d to 8d per bushel.

Hay.—Stocks augmented this morning by supplies from the Hunter River. Trade remains inactive. Prime well-saved lucerne commands attention at £2 5s to £2 15s per ton; other classes are neglected.

Chaff.—Additional shipments from the neighbouring colonies last night. Best Adelaide and Victorian parcels unaltered, at £4 13s to £5 per ton; inferior, from £3.

Onions.—Light consignments have caused values to advance and they are now £4 to £4 10s per ton.

Potatoes.—Working off at £3 per ton for Circular Head. New Zealand, £2 to £2 5s.

Butter.—Illawarra, in keg, realised at auction 6d to 7d per lb.; factory-made, 7½d to 9d; roll, to 7d.

Cheese.—Unaltered at 2d to 4d per lb. for ordinary colonial sorts; loaf cheese, 4d to 6d; New Zealand, to 6d.

Bacon.—A moderate inquiry still exists, especially for hand-cured Southern, at 6d to 7d per lb.; machine-cured worth 4½d to 6d; heavy and rough pieces, 3d to 4d; hand-cured hams, 7d to 8d; machine-cured, 6d to 7d; New Zealand bacon, 5d; hams, to 11d.

Lard.—Best, in bladders, still in restricted inquiry at 4d per lb.; in bulk, from 2½d.

Honey.—Good and clear remains quiet at 4d to 5d per lb.; other classes, from 2½d.

Eggs.—Additional stocks, chiefly from the Northern rivers, this morning. Selling at 10d to 11d per dozen. Those by rail realised—Hen eggs, 10d to 1s; duck, 11d to 1s 1d.

Poultry.—The demand is not so strong as of late. Fowls, 3s to 4s 6d; ducks, 3s 6d to 5s; geese, 5s to 8s; turkeys, 7s to 12s. By auction this afternoon there was fair competition at 2s 9d to 5s 1d per pair for fowls; ducks, 4s to 5s 3d; geese, 6s 6d to 8s; cock turkeys, 11s to 20s; hen turkeys, 7s to 8s 6d.

Meat.—Mr. H. M'Namara, of the Metropolitan Meat Market, reports having disposed of beef at 1½d to 2½d per lb.; mutton, 1½d to 1¾d; lambs, in carcase, at 5s 6d to 10s. The Riverstone Meat Company report sales of 65 bodies beef at 1¾d to 2¼d; 600 mutton, at 1½d to 2d. Messrs. John Evans and Co. report having sold at the New Meat Market, Pyrmont: For Sydney Meat Company, Limited: 250 rumps and loins beef, at 2½d to 3d; 125 hindquarters, at 2d to 2½d; 200 carcases sheep, at 1½d to 1¾d; For H. W. Lawrence: 25 bodies of Orange killed beef, at 1¾d to 2d; 50 hind quarters, 2d to 2½d; 20 crops beef, at 1½d to 2½d; 10 porkers, at 4½d to 5d; 150 Goulburn killed mutton, at 1½d to 1¾d; 50 porkers, at 4½d to 5½d; 20 porkers (Burns), 4½d to 5d; 40 (Parramatta), 4½d to 5¼d; 10 vealers (M'Mahon), at 3d to 3¼d. Messrs. William Inglis and Son report selling by auction at new Meat Market, Pyrmont:—330 quarters beef, 1½d to 2½d per lb. The retail prices are:—Joints of beef, 4d to 6d per lb.; joints of mutton, 2d to 3d; veal, 6d; pork, 6d to 7d; corn beef, 4d.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report holding their usual grain sale, and report sales by auction and privately since last report, 571 sacks oats at from 2s 1d for medium and 2s 3d to 2s 3d for good; maize, 515 sacks at from 3s 7½d for medium samples to 3s 9½d for best; bran, 500 sacks, from 7½d to 7¾d; chickfeed wheat at 2s 7d to 2s 9d.

Fruit.—At the George-street market the bulk of supplies were of Fijian, Queensland, and colonial descriptions. The usual Tasmanian consignments were not forward. Business was rather quiet. Quotations range as follows:—Tasmanian apples, light stocks, 8s to 12s per case; American, 9s to 13s; Queensland pineapples, 6s to 8s per dozen, or 17s to 20s per case; Fiji bananas, 2s to 4s per bunch; Queensland, 2s to 3s 6d; Tongan, 2s to 2s 6d; Samoan, 1s 6d to 3s; oranges, 2s to 8s; good mandarins, scarce, 10s to 12s; lemons, 4s to 5s; loquats, 12s to 15s; passion fruit, 6d per dozen; cocoanuts, 7s to 8s per bag.

The following is a return of produce received coastwise for the week ended October 5:—

—	—	N. S. Wales	Q'ns-land.	Victoria.	New Z'land	South Aus.	Tasmania	Total.
Wool	... bls.	2,544	480	...	...	...	...	3,024
Tallow	... cks.	44	161	...	...	...	...	205
Hides	... No.	1,473	2,509	...	...	...	...	3,982
Horns	... bgs.	17	16	...	...	...	...	33
Bones	... bgs.	84	40	...	...	...	...	124
Hay	... bls.	604	...	...	...	...	...	604
Chaff	... bgs.	...	...	1,669	...	3,815	...	5,484
Flour	... bgs.	...	...	8,162	...	290	...	8,452
Bran	... bgs.	...	...	100	...	...	...	100
Pollard	... bgs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maize	... bgs.	3,996	...	...	...	...	...	3,996
Oats	... bgs.	...	...	30	3,425	...	...	3,455
Barley	... bgs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat	... bgs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	... bgs.	125	...	...	...	...	12,858	13,083
Onions	... bgs.	...	...	498	...	...	...	498
Butter	... kgs.	505	...	...	...	...	...	505
Cheese	No.	3,221	...	...	...	...	...	3,221
	case	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bacon	bgs.	66	...	...	...	...	...	66
	case	8	...	...	...	...	...	8
Honey	... pks.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lard	... pks.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas	... bgs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eggs	... case	435	...	60	...	...	...	495
Poultry	... cps.	111	...	...	...	...	...	111
Straw	... bdls	...	...	...	...	...	682	682
Sugar	bgs.	2,273	10,593	...	...	...	...	12,866
	mts	576	3,722	...	...	...	...	4,298
	pkt	101	...	...	...	...	...	101
	pkg	...	5,188	...	...	...	...	5,188

Return of produce exported coastwise for the same period:—

—	—	Q'ns-land.	Victoria.	New Z'land	South Aus.	Tasmania	Total.
Wool ...	... bales..	...	684	...	...	...	684
Hides ...	... No.	...	100	...	...	...	100
Hay ...	... bales..	14	...	...	...	...	14
Chaff ...	... bags..	88	...	...	...	...	88
Flour ...	... bags..	6,362	...	...	...	...	6,362
Bran ...	... bags..	361	...	...	...	...	361
Pollard ...	... bags..	49	...	...	...	...	49
Maize ...	... bags..	2,046	...	...	...	...	2,046
Oats ...	... bags..	490	...	...	...	...	490
Barley ...	... bags..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat ...	... bags..	108	...	...	...	...	108
Potatoes ...	... bags..	1,123	...	...	...	...	1,123
Onions ...	... bags..	164	...	...	...	...	164
Butter ...	... kegs..	164	...	...	...	...	164
Cheese ...	... cases..	49	...	...	...	...	49
Bacon ...	... pkgs..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas ...	... bags..	15	...	...	...	...	15
Sugar ...	... pkgs..	...	28,771	3,410	...	...	32,181

STOCK, STATION, AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

Tallow.—Messrs. J. H. Geddes and Co., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Mort and Co., Limited, F. L. Barker, Hill, Clark, and Co., J. Bridge, and Brunker and Wolfe report holding sales yesterday; 758 packages were offered, and 220 sold publicly. The market was unaltered. Owners are holding for higher rates than those at present ruling. Quotations—Best beef, £17 10s to £17 15s per ton; medium, £16 to £17; mixed and station, to £17; inferior, from £12; mutton, to £18 10s.

Hides.—5676 were offered and 5152 were sold at yesterday's sales. A good demand was experienced for most descriptions, especially light and extreme heavies, and for these values were firm. Quotations—Extra heavy and good conditioned, 3½d to 4d per lb.; ordinary, 3¼d to 3½d; medium, 3¼d to 3½d; light, 3¼d to 3½d; dry station, to 5d; damaged, from 2d; horsehides, 2s 6d to 7s; yearlings, 4s 6d to 9s; calfskins, 1s to 3s 6d.

Marsupial Skins.—Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report that the quantities received during the week were below the average, and all classes of kangaroo skins, excepting small sizes, which were dull, were quitted at the rates lately ruling. They quote—extra large kangaroo, 100s to 120s per dozen; very large, 75s to 90s; large, 56s to 65s; fair, 40s to 50s; medium, 30s to 38s; small, 12s to 24s; very small, 3s to 9s. Wallaby were easier, especially small rock wallaby, which meets with scarcely any inquiry. Opossum are firm at 8s to 10s for best; fair, 6s to 7s; medium, 4s to 5s; rumped, 2s to 3s.

Hair.—Remains steady at the following values:—Horsetail, 14d to 15d per lb.; cow, washed, 10d to 11d; dirty, from 8d; stumps, from 4½d; mixed, 12d to 13½d.

Horns and Bones.—The market for the former is not so strong as for some time past. Large and well-cared-for lots are quoted to 80s per 100; medium, 12s 6d to 24s; small and tips from 2s. Bones are still slow of sale. Best shanks, £5 10s; others from £3; common, £3; hoofs, £3.

Leather.—At Tuesday's sales the demand was chiefly for sole for shipping purposes. Dressed lines continued slack, save the lighter classes. Harness lines were again inactive. Quotations:—Sole, heavy, 11d to 12d; medium, 9d to 9½d; kip, best, 15d to 16d; medium, 12d to 14d; cow tweed, 18d to 24d; heavy, 15d to 16d; yearling tweed, 18d to 20d; calf tweed, 15d to 22d; waxed calf, 18d to 24d; harness, 12d to 14d; bridle, 9s to 11s 9d; bag, 9s to 11s.

Horses.—The market during the week was only lightly stocked with fresh country horses, principally from the South Coast districts. There is inquiry for horses suitable for India. Heavy draught, which are scarce, and good light, command most attention. Stock quotations: Best saddle and harness horses, £25 to £30; ordinary, £10 to £18; active van and draught horses, £14 to £24; heavy draughts to £30.

Store Cattle.—There is but a moderate demand. The low prices ruling for fat cattle have depressed the value of stores. Delivered at Dubbo, bullocks are worth 87s 6d to 90s.

Store Sheep.—Inquiry limited. Young ewes, 9s to 10s; wethers, 5s 6d.

Stations.—For compact sheep stations, suitably situated, there is a moderate inquiry, but no business is reported.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR OCTOBER 7, 1887.

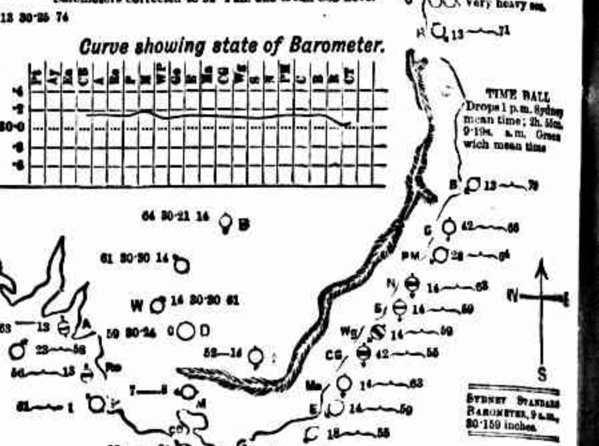
Stations.	wt	Mx	m	Rn.
Albury ..	b	68	43	0
Armidale	b	64	41	0
Balranald	b	83	41	0
Bathurst	b	63	35	0·07
Bendem'r	b	68	29	0
Bodalla ..	b	64	51	0·10
Bourke ..	b	80	44	0
Buncarra	b	—	52	0
C'md'n H.	g	64	54	0·16
C. St. Geo.	g	62	51	0·07
Carcoar ..	b	39	31	0
Casino ..	.	84	49	0
Cassilis ..	b	65	59	0
Clarence .	b	81	50	0
C'nd'b'lin	b	88	46	0
Cooma ..	g	64	40	0·02
Coonab'n.	b	72	37	0
Cowra ..	b	71	41	0
Cudg'llico	b	72	43	0
Deniliq'n.	b	73	39	0
Dubbo ..	b	70	36	0
Eden	b	64	49	0
Euston ..	b	74	42	0
Forbes ..	b	—	48	0
G'bo Isl'nd	b	60	52	0
Glen Inn's	b	68	39	0
EUCLA				
Goulburn	g	63	40	0
Grafton ..	b	85	55	0
Gulgong .	b	68	33	0
Gunned'h	b	75	47	0
Hay	b	68	43	0
Inverell ..	b	72	42	0
Kiandra ..	f	59	32	0·08
Lismore .	b	82	58	0
Maitland .	c	74	57	0·05
M'n'ng H.	b	62	51	0
Marsdens	b	70	49	0
Menindie.	b	68	48	0
Molong ..	b	65	33	0
M'r'ng'r'll	b	69	42	0
Moree ..	b	83	48	0
Moruya ..	b	65	53	0·03
Moss Vale	u	58	50	0·20
Mt. Hope	b	73	47	0
M. Vict'ria	b	50	39	0·20
Mudgee ..	b	74	34	0
M'rr'mb'h	b	68	37	0
M'rr'r'ndi	c	63	46	0
Mus'br'k	g	80	51	0·06
Narrabri	b	78	40	0
Newcastle	c	71	52	0·05
Orange ..	c	60	29	0
Picton ..	u	66	53	0·47
P. M'q'rie	b	70	49	0·30
P. St'ph'n	-	—	—	-
Q'nbeyan	c	68	36	0·19
Quirindi	b	76	42	0·0
Singleton	b	—	43	0·10
SYDNEY ..	g	62	55	0·19
Taralga ..	g	71	41	0·06
Taree	g	76	56	0·01
T'nt'rfield	b	70	46	0
Wagga ..	b	74	33	0
Walcha ..	b	67	32	0·02
Walgett	b	76	49	0
Warialda	b	77	40	0
Warrah ..	b	68	44	0·04
W'ntw'rth	b	71	49	0
W'll'ng'ng	c	68	54	0
Young ..	b	74	35	0

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·81s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.

Average Annual Rainfall for 28 years.................. 49·480
Average for 29 years from Jan. 1 to Sep. 30 1887..... 41·210
Total Rainfall from Jan. 1, to Oct. 7 1887 .... 48·652

Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level



H. C. RUSSELL,
GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n, the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each coast station the wind symbol is placed like a vane pointing to the direction from which the wind is coming. A clear circle with it means fine weather; a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour; next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—P, Perth; Ay, Albany; Ea, Eucla; CB, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; Re, Robe; P, Portland, M, Melbourne; WP, Wilson's Promontory; Go, Gabo; E, Eden; Ma, Moruya; CG Jervis Bay; Wg, Wollongong; S, Sydney; N, Newcastle; PM, Port Macquarie; C, Clarence River, B, Brisbane; R, Rockhampton; Ct, Cooktown. Inland the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays or holidays, when this map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

9 A.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Western Australia.—No telegrams received.

South Australia.—Generally fine, with scattered clouds at places along north and south coasts, and smooth to moderate sea; winds are light to fresh, north to north-east, with temperature rising; rain recorded at Cape Northumberland, 0·01in. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Alice Springs, 30·23; Streaky Bay, 29·95; Port Darwin, 86°; and Robe, 56°.

Victoria.—Fine inland, with light variable winds and calms, scattered clouds, with light west to north-west winds on coast; sea smooth to moderate, light rain recorded at scattered places. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Melbourne, 30·19; Wilson's Promontory, 30·04; Echuca, 61°; and Omeo, 54°.

Tasmania.—Fine but cloudy, except at Southport, where it is raining lightly; the sea is smooth to moderate, and winds light south-west to west; light rain recorded in north-west and south parts. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Circular Head, 30·08; Falmouth, 29·97 and 57°; and Southport, 52°.

New Zealand.—Fine, with north-east winds, except in extreme north, where it is showery and squally; the sea is rough. Barometers: Generally, 30·10in.

New South Wales.—Fine west of the range, with light east to north-east winds and calms. In eastern division it is generally cloudy, with light west to south-west winds, but fresh at few places along the coast, and foggy at Kiandra; sea smooth to moderate. During the past 24 hours light rain fell generally in the eastern division. Extra station: Camden, rain, 0·26 inch. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Hay, 30·32; Eden, 30·07; Warialda, 66°; and Kiandra, 43°. For further particulars see map.

Queensland.—Fine, with light south to south-east winds and smooth to moderate sea. Thunderstorm at Cape Moreton yesterday evening. Light rain recorded at a few scattered places. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Rockhampton, 30·14; Cooktown, 30·01; Townsville, 86°; and Thargomindah, 50°.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Adelaide.—N., 18, fine, but dusty, temperature 74°.

Victoria.—Portland, N., 18, fine, sea smooth, temperature 68°; Cape Otway, S.S.W., 13, fine, sea smooth, temperature 62°; Melbourne, S. 13, fine, temperature 63°; Cape Schanck, S.W., 3, fine but cloudy, temperature 60°; Wilson's Promontory, W, 12, fine but cloudy, sea slight, temperature 54°; Lakes Entrance, S.E., 13, fine but cloudy, temperature 63°.

New South Wales.—Menindie, N.W., 14, fine, temperature 68°; Wentworth, N., 14, fine, temperature 62°; Deniliquin, S.W., 14, fine and clear, temperature 71°; Eden, S.W., 14, fine, sea smooth, temperature 66°; Moruya, E.N.E., 28, fine but cloudy, sea smooth, temperature 69°; Cape St. George, S.E., 28, fine but cloudy, sea smooth, temperature 63°; Sydney, S.S.E., 13, cloudy and dull, sea smooth, temperature 61°; Newcastle, S.S.E., 28, fine, sea smooth, temperature 62°; Port Macquarie, S., 4, fine, sea smooth, temperature 72°; Clarence River, S., 42, fine, sea smooth, temperature 70°; Walgett, S.W., 14, fine, temperature 78°; Dubbo, S.W., 14, fine, temperature 65°; Goulburn, calm, fine, temperature 63°.

Queensland.—Townsville, S.E., 18, sultry, temperature 79°; Mackay, E., 13, fine and clear; Hughenden, N.W., fine and hot; Rockhampton, N.W., 13, fine, temperature 80°; Roma, calm, fine, temperature 77°; Cape Moreton, E.S.E., 13, fine, temperature 73°; Brisbane, N.N.E., 18, fine but cloudy, temperature 77°; Blackall, calm, fine and clear; Boulia, S.E., 13, fine, clear, and warm.

HEIGHT OF RIVERS ABOVE SUMMER LEVEL.

Macintyre: At Mungindi, 3ft. 6in., stationary. Barwon: at Mogil Mogil, 4ft., falling; at Walgett, 19ft., falling. Namoi: At Walgett, 7ft., falling. Culgoa: At Goodooga, low. Darling: At Brewarrina, 17ft. 6in., falling; at Bourke, 28ft., falling; at Louth, 28ft., falling; at Tilpa, 34ft., stationary; Wilcannia, 33ft.; at Menindie, 25ft. 3in., rising; at Pooncarie, 22ft.; at Wentworth, 21ft. Murrumbidgee: At Gundagai, 10ft., stationary; at Wagga, 13ft.; at Hay, 13ft., falling; at Balranald, 22ft. 4in. Murray: At Albury, 10ft. 11in.; at Euston, 22ft. 4in.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER 8.

Sun rises at 5.29, sets at 6.7; Moon, 11.41 p.m., 9.3 a.m.; Mercury, 6.16 a.m., 7.31 p.m.; Venus, 4.1 a.m., 4.14 p.m.; Mars, 3.26 a.m., 2.11 p.m.; Jupiter, 6.47 a.m., 8.7 p.m.; Saturn, 11 a.m., 12.29 p.m. Full moon, October 2; new moon, October 17.

High water at Fort Denison October 8: 11.39 a.m.; — p.m.

H. A. LENEHAN,
Acting Government Astronomer.

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold last Saturday afternoon, on the ground, on account of the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, 28 lots of the Tennyson Estate, Parramatta River, at prices ranging from £2 5s to £6 12s 6d per foot; total sale, £6036 11s 11d. Also at the Rooms, as follows:—Parramatta, lot 3 of Rock Farm subdivision, area 5a. 2r. 27½p., for £196 0s 4d—Mrs. Emily Manton, purchaser; Leichhardt, lots 43 and 25, sec. B. Harbord Estate, each having 16ft. 8in. frontage to James-street, for £31 5s each—Mr. Thos. Hastings and Mrs. L. Hastings; Shares, 25 shares in the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, for £6 19s 7d—Mr. Wm. Barker; Woollahra, lot 33, sec. B, Grafton Estate, having 16¾ft. frontage to Grafton-street, £111 7s 6d—Mrs. H. A. Laurence; Five Dock, lot 17, sec. 8, Drummoyne Park, having 50ft. frontage to St. George's-crescent, £137 10s.

Richardson and Wrench report having sold by auction and private contract, during the week, the following properties:—Randwick, residence and grounds, known as Ashridge, Dutruc and Chapel streets, leasehold, £2700—Mr. G. W. Waddell; Hunter's Hill, block of land, in area 3 acres, fronting Onions Point-road, £1800—Mr. A. Budden; block of land, close to above, in area 4 acres, £1600—Mr. A. M'Lean; Enmore, block of land, having 52 feet frontage to a lane off Lower Tupper-street, with workshop thereon, £170—Mr. T. G. Dole; Sans Souci township, triangular block of land, corner of Rocky Point-road and Russell-avenue, £140—Mr. E. H. Llewellyn; 9 blocks of Larbart Mane's Estate, Blacktown, at prices ranging from £12 10s to £21 per acre; 7 blocks of the Pittwater Estate (Father Therry's), at prices ranging from £4 17s 6d to £16 per acre; 8 allotments in the village of Brighton, Pittwater Estate, for £32; block of land, Stoke's Point, Pittwater, in area 3 acres and 38 perches, for the sum of £7 per acre—Mr. E. Fisher; also, on the ground, portions of the Clareville Estate subdivision. Lady Robinson's Beach, near Kogarah, at prices ranging from £1 to £2 1s per foot. Total amount of sales for the week, £8624 9s 4d.

Messrs. Mills and Pile report having sold during the week the following properties:—Block of land, having 72ft. frontage to Ocean-street, Woollahra, £850; lots 33 and 34, Lawson Estate, No. 1, Waverley, £600—Mrs. Pries; lots 20 and 21, Gascoigne's Estate, Auburn, £175—Mr. Olsen; lot 9 and 19ft. of lot 10, Mount Pleasant Estate, Parramatta North, £57—Mr. E. Searle; lot 11 and 19ft. lot 10, £57—Mr. O'Mara; lot 44, sec. G, Brenan's Estate, Leichhardt, £48—Mr. Mercer.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following official notifications were published in yesterday's *Government Gazette*:—

PUBLIC PARKS.—The land at Wilcannia which was dedicated for the purpose of public recreation in *Gazette* of 25th March, 1887, to be a public park, is to be known by the name of Burke Park. The land at Macquarie Pass which was dedicated for the purpose of public recreation in *Gazette* of 20th August, 1886, to be a public park, is to be known by the name of Macquarie Pass Park. The land at Waverley which was dedicated for the purposes of public recreation in *Gazette* of 13th May, 1887, to be a public park, is to be known by the name of Macpherson Park. The land at Cassilis, which was purchased for the purpose of public recreation, to be a public park, is to be known by the name of Cassilis Park. The land at Wynyard-square, Sydney, which was dedicated for purposes of public recreation in *Gazette* of 1st July, 1887, to be a public park, is to be known by the name of Wynyard Park.

VOLUNTEER APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. William Scott, M.R.C.V.S., to be veterinary surgeon of the Reserve Corps of Sydney Lancers.

APPOINTMENTS.—The Rev. Timothy O'Connell to be Roman Catholic chaplain to the gaol at Albury, vice the Rev. J. Dunne, resigned,—to take effect from the 1st August last. Mr. Leslie W. Macarthur, C.P.S., to be Commissioner of Insolvent Estates for the district of Nowra, vice Lovegrove, resigned. Ballina—Sergeant William J. Tippett, vice Evans. Lismore—Sergeant John Evans. To be respectively district inspector and Sub-inspector under the Licensing Acts of 1882-1883, for the licensing districts set opposite their respective names,—to take effect from the 15th September. Mr. James W. Boultbee, from 1st January, 1887; Mr. John Low, from 27th June, 1887; Mr. Farquhar Mackenzie, from 27th June, 1887; to be inspectors of public watering-places under the abovenamed Act, from the dates specified.

NEW GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.—A Government Savings Bank has been opened at Bulli railway station.

BULLI MONEY ORDER OFFICE.—The money order system has been extended to the Bulli railway station.

RETIRED FROM THE CIVIL SERVICE.—The undermentioned officers have retired from the Civil Service under the provisions of the Civil Service, Act, 1884, viz.:—Mr. F. W. H. Richardson, teacher, Public school, Carrick; and Mr. W. Booth, clerk, Department of Lands.

VOLUNTEER RESIGNATION.—Mr. Albert Arthur Veness has resigned his appointment as second lieutenant in the Tamworth Corps 4th Regiment Volunteer Infantry.

TRUSTEES.—Messrs. James Moseley, J.P., George Henry Pigott, J.P., John Gately, Charles Parker, Charles Martyn, Theodore Morath, and Spencer Stephens to be trustees of the land at West Narrabri, known as "Dangar Park," which was proclaimed a public park in *Gazette* of 20th September, 1887, under the name, style, and title of "The Trustees of Dangar Park." The Municipal Council of Albury to be trustees of the land at Albury, known as "Alexandra Park," which was proclaimed a public park in *Gazette* of the 20th September, 1887, under the name, style, and title of "The Trustees of Alexandra Park." The Municipal Council of Lismore to be trustees of the land at Lismore, known as "Lismore Park," which was proclaimed a public park in *Gazette* of 13th September, 1887, under the name, style, and title of "The Trustees of Lismore Park."

NEW POUNDS.—Yantabulla, Bourke, has, on the recommendation of the Court of Petty Sessions, been fixed upon and determined as a place for the establishment of a public pound. Mr. James Mallen, inspector of stock, Bourke, has been appointed inspector of the said pound. Ivanhoe has also been fixed upon and determined as a place for the establishment of a public pound, and Mr. E. W. Procter, inspector of stock, Ivanhoe, has been appointed inspector.

TENDER ACCEPTED.—The undermentioned tender has been accepted by the Government:—R. B. Spiers, the erection of waiting-shed at Unanderra, and passenger station and other works at Dapto.

THE PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF SEDUCTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is gratifying that Mr. Farnell has introduced a bill into Parliament for the punishment of seduction. I hope it may pass, and that the Parliament of New South Wales will avoid the blunder made here when my suggestion on this subject was adopted and introduced into a similar bill before the Victorian Parliament. Here it was unwisely determined to cut out the fine. I wished then and now to see a law passed to punish by fine or imprisonment, or both. I hope that the Parliament of our mother colony will not make the blunder of merely imposing a punishment by imprisonment. Such a law is unworkable—the Courts will not administer any law so well as when there is a legal method of inflicting a penalty or penalties. For example, given the power of inflicting a fine and imprisonment, the Bench should have power of one or the other or both, and the fine in all cases should go to benefit the female or her offspring. Likewise the person or persons who may have been keeping any premises into which young females shall have been enticed should be made liable under the Act. I am writing in the dark because my information is a brief "wire," in the *Argus*. I wish to point out that in the U. S. of America such offences and all parties concerned are made liable to three years in gaol, together with a fine of 1000 dollars (£200). There it is an offence to so take a girl under 16 years, even though the man acts at the suggestion of the girl. No force, actual or constructive, need be used. It is an offence to induce a girl to enter premises, or so to act towards her, that it may be fairly presumed the action was prompted by evil intention. Supplying liquor under such circumstances becomes an offence. Care must be taken that proceedings taken under such a law shall so far as possible protect men from the evil designs of females. A general reputation and not sufficient evidence, and it must be shown that up to the commencement of the acts complained of the party complaining by herself or next friend was actually chaste. Hoping that the bill may become law, and in such a form as to be of practical value, I am, &c.,

JOHN ELLIS STEWART,
Hon. Foreign Correspondent in Australia for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, New York, United States America.

Prahran, Melbourne, October 5.

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5000 PAIRS of the latest improved AMERICAN ROLLER SKATES now on the way from America. Parties intending to open Rinks next season should send in their orders at once. Large and small quantities supplied. Apply to
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Terrific Conflagration that destroyed the Garden Palace.
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SAFES, Fire-proof, mixed sizes, to be sold cheap. Apply T. W. Butcher and Co., 118, Pitt-street.

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THIS DAY, ST. PETERS LAND SALE, on the Ground, at 3.30, the Pick of the district. Main road frontages only. Shop and Business Sites within the reach of all. No reserve. Terms, 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months, balance extending over 3 years.
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ATTEND
the
GREAT SALE
at
TENNYSON,
facing
The Championship Course,
PARRAMATTA
RIVER,
TO-DAY, TO-DAY,
at 3 p.m.
THE ONLY SALE TO-DAY.

In consequence of the numerous other attractions many persons were precluded from attending last Saturday; consequently it was decided to withhold the
CHOICEST LOTS
until
TO-DAY, TO-DAY,
when all can attend.
BATT RODD, and PURVES
will therefore sell, ON THE GROUND,
at 3 p.m.,
TO-DAY. TO-DAY.

FREE SPECIAL STEAMERS
from KING-STREET at 2.15 p.m.
TO-DAY. TO-DAY.
FREE TICKETS.
LITHOS., PAMPHLETS, &c.,
can be obtained from the Auctioneers,
BATT, RODD, and PURVES,
88, Pitt-street;
from F. VILLENEUVE SMITH, Esq.,
Solicitor to the Estate,
52, Castlereagh-street;
at the Parramatta River Company's Wharf,
foot of King-street;
or at the Offices of the Vendors:
THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited,
corner of Park and Castlereagh streets.
EDWIN J. C. BRYANT,
General Manager.

CAPITAL SUBDIVISION BLOCKS.

SANS SOUCI and COOK'S RIVER-ROAD,

To SPECULATORS, BUILDING COMPANIES, and Others.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 18, at 11.30 a.m.

1st. SANS SOUCI—That valuable ESTATE known as FONTAINEBLEAU, situate between SANS SOUCI and SANDRINGHAM, in the LOOP of the TRAM LINE (in fact, trams stop at NAPOLEON-STREET, about the middle of the estate), close to the HOTELS and Beach, and commanding LOVELY VIEWS.

The property offered comprises 25 LARGE SITES, varying from 66 x 165 to nearly 2 ACRES, having frontages to the waters of GEORGE'S RIVER (subject to usual Government reservation), NAPOLEON-STREET, and other good streets, as per Plan on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.
Title, FREEHOLD.
To be first offered as a WHOLE, and then, if not Sold, in SINGLE ALLOTMENTS.

2nd. SANS SOUCI, KOGARAH BAY....Capital Block of WATER FRONTAGE, few yards from TRAM, with RECLAMATION RIGHT SECURED, having 198 feet frontage to VISTA-STREET South, similar frontage to the waters of KOGARAH BAY, by a through depth of 278ft. on one side, and 363ft. on the other, forming Lots 1 to 3, Sec. 5, ELLESMERE ESTATE, as per plan. Title, TORRENS' ACT.

3rd. COOK'S RIVER-ROAD and UNION-STREET.—Valuable Block of nearly 1½ ACRES, having 162ft. 2in. frontage to the COOK'S RIVER-ROAD, by a side frontage of 317ft. 4in. along UNION-STREET, together with the substantial RESIDENCE on portion of the land, built of brick on stone, slated roof, and containing 8 rooms, cellars, &c., subdivided into 17 ALLOTMENTS, as per plan on view at the Rooms.
Title, TORRENS' ACT.
To be offered first as a whole, and then, if not sold, in Allotments.

RANDWICK.
ETHELSTONE ESTATE.
Lot 1, Sec. 3, 44 x 130, corner PEROUSE-ROAD and FREDERICK-STREET. Title, Torrens' Act.
A CAPITAL ELEVATED BUILDING SITE, well drained, commanding GOOD VIEWS, and only a few yards from the TRAM LINE.
RIVERSTONE ESTATE.
Lot 6, sec. A, area, 1 ACRE, having 330 feet frontage to GEORGE-STREET, 132 feet frontage to KING-STREET, and a similar frontage to BOURKE-STREET. Title, Torrens' Act. Plan on view.
A GOOD BLOCK, close to STATION.

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PLANS ON VIEW.

By Order of the TRUSTEES of the late M. CONSETT STEPHEN, Esq.

"CINTRA," POTTS POINT.

To Gentlemen seeking a WATERSIDE RESIDENCE within 15 minutes' walk of the centre of the city, yet having all the advantages of a country home.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the TRUSTEES of the late M. CONSETT STEPHEN, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

That substantial commodious TOWN RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, known as
"CINTRA,"
7, WYLDE-STREET, POTTS POINT.

Situate in the MOST SELECT PART of this FASHIONABLE LOCALITY, surrounded by the BEST RESIDENCES, occupying a nicely SHELTERED position, and commanding beautiful HARBOUR VIEWS.

The ACCOMMODATION comprises wide hall, spacious drawing and dining rooms, 7 LARGE BEDROOMS, servants' room, storerooms, kitchen, pantry, larder, washhouse, bathroom, &c., verandah back and front; OUTOFFICES, stable, coachhouse, loft, man's room, poultry-house, &c.
WATER and GAS LAID ON.

The GROUNDS are tastefully laid out, and well kept; in fact, the whole property is in FIRST-CLASS order and ready for IMMEDIATE OCCUPATION.
INSPECTION INVITED.

Solicitors for vendors:
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MANLY BEACH.—Close to the PIER.

"INGLESIDE," a pretty detached RESIDENCE, situate corner RAGLAN and KANGAROO STREETS, within 5 MINUTES walk across IVANHOE PARK of the MANLY PIER.
The Property is well-built of W. B., lathed and plastered, and contains 6 good rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c.
LAND, 50 feet frontage to RAGLAN-STREET, by a side frontage of 128 feet along KANGAROO-STREET.

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Solicitors for Vendor:
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FOR POSITIVE SALE. A BARGAIN.

GRANVILLE, PARRAMATTA-STREET.
within
Easy walk of HARRIS PARK, GRANVILLE, and MERRYLANDS STATIONS.

TWO substantial 2-storey Brick HOUSES, with iron roofs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, verandah, balcony, &c., U. G. tank and pump, Picket Fence, and small GARDEN Plots in front. RENTALS, 10s each per week. LAND, 31½ x 100, with SIDE PASSAGE.

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TITLE FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS.

TO TRUSTEES, GUARDIANS, AND INVESTORS.

STANMORE, Addison-road.
Three Substantial HOUSES, built of brick on stone, iron roofs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washshed, verandah, &c. CITY WATER laid on. GARDEN PLOTS in front. LAND 51 x 105, with SIDE ENTRANCE. Two UNDERLET at 12s each per week, the third (worth 15s) occupied by Mr. J. H. CHUDLEIGH, who will show intending buyers over this, and any of the undermentioned PROPERTIES.

MIDDLE-STREET.—Detached COTTAGE at rear of above, built of W.B. on brick and stone foundations, iron roof, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, verandahs (back and front), servant's-room, coachhouse, harness-room, &c. WATER laid on. GARDEN back and front. LAND 49 x 95. RENTAL, 17s 6d (worth 20s) per week.

STANMORE, Addison-road.
PAIR Semi-detached COTTAGES, of brick on stone, slate roofs, each 3 rooms, kitchen, shed, verandah, &c. WATER laid on. LAND 33 x 105, with side entrance. RENTALS, 12s each per week.
Also,
MIDDLE-STREET, at rear of above.—Pair Semi-detached COTTAGES, of brick on stone, iron roofs, each 2 rooms, kitchen, shed, verandah, &c. WATER laid on. LAND 33½ x 95, with side entrance. RENTS, 10s each per week.

STANMORE, Addison-road.
Detached COTTAGE, of brick on stone, slated roof, containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, verandah, washshed, and stable-shed at rear. WATER laid on. LAND 33½ x 105. RENTAL, 14s per week.
Also,
MIDDLE-STREET, at rear of above.—PAIR of Semi-detached COTTAGES, of brick on stone, iron roofs, each 2 rooms, kitchen, shed, front verandah, &c. WATER laid on. LAND 33½ x 95, with side entrance. RENTALS, 10s each per week.

, The above are all CAPITAL PROPERTIES, WELL-BUILT, and in FIRST-RATE ORDER.

MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS,
HARNLEIGH ESTATE,
WARREN-ROAD, close to the WARREN GATES.
"SOUDAN COTTAGE," a new and thoroughly well-built COTTAGE VILLA, of brick on stone, slated roof, containing dining, drawing, and 3 bed rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse (with copper), verandah, man's-room, coachhouse, bathroom, stable, &c., 2 good tanks, gas laid on. LAND 50 x 132, or, if required, 50 x 264, running through to HARNETT-AVENUE. Title, TORRENS' ACT. This Property will be sold a BARGAIN.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above CAPITAL PROPERTIES by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

CARDS to view from the Auctioneers.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

That IMPORTANT, RAPIDLY-IMPROVING CITY POSITION,
known as
NO. 43, KING-STREET,
situate
in the Heart of the BUSINESS CENTRE of this Portion of the City, few doors from KENT-STREET,
close to CLARENCE-STREET, and Surrounded by Leading BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.
TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the MORTGAGEES to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th October, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above exceptionally valuable centrally situated CITY FREEHOLD, situate on the south side of KING-STREET, to which it has about 16 feet frontage, with a depth of about 45 feet.

On the land is erected a Brick SHOP and Dwelling, producing a net rental of £156 per annum, on a 5 YEARS' LEASE, expiring 1st April, 1889, and known as No. 43, KING-STREET.

, The sale of this property affords an invaluable opportunity to acquire a block of
KING-STREET FRONTAGE,
convenient to the WHARFS at foot of KING-STREET, handy to George-street, and having an
IMMENSE PROSPECTIVE VALUE.

TITLE FREEHOLD.
TERMS AT SALE.

DARLING POINT.
GOMERA-CRESCENT and YARANABEE-ROAD, just off DARLING POINT-ROAD.
QUEENSCLIFF, a substantial well-appointed WATERSIDE VILLA RESIDENCE, built of brick on stone, with slate roof, and commanding charming HARBOUR VIEWS which cannot be outbuilt.
The ACCOMMODATION comprises tiled porch entrance, wide hall, verandah and balcony (13ft. wide), drawing, dining, dressing, and 5 bed rooms, bathroom, servant's room, kitchen, &c., stone STABLE and COACHHOUSE. LAND, about ¾ ACRE, nicely LAID OUT and TERRACED.
Title, TORRENS' ACT.

SUMMER HILL.
corner SLONE-STREET and KENSINGTON-ROAD,
close to Station.
Convenient detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE of brick on stone, slated roof, containing entrance hall, dining and drawing rooms (with folding doors), 4 bedrooms, dressing-room, servant's room, bathroom, billiard or ball room (40ft. long), kitchen, verandahs, &c., coachhouse and stables (40 x 13); gas laid on. LAND, about 75 x 100.
Title, TORRENS' ACT.
Also,
COTTAGE, few yards from above, in SLONE-STREET, similarly built, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, back verandah, &c.; gas laid on. RENTAL, 16s 6d per week. LAND, about 18 x 100 to a back entrance. Title, TORRENS' ACT.

NORTH KINGSTON.
ALBERT-STREET, close to NEWTOWN STATION.
2 SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES (Nos. 2 and 4), built of brick on stone, shingled roofs, each containing hall, verandah, balcony, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c.; water and gas laid on. RENTALS, 20s and 21s per week. LAND, about 80 x 140, with LANE side and back. Title, FREEHOLD.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above desirable properties by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.
TERMS LIBERAL, at Sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

By order of the TRUSTEES of the late Hon. JOHN BLAXLAND.

IMPORTANT SUBDIVISION AT RYDE.

MAGNIFICENT EXTENSIVE BLOCK OF LAND,
situate
immediately adjoining RYDE RAILWAY STATION.
ELEVATED,
WELL-DRAINED,
and commanding some of the FINEST VIEWS in this PICTURESQUE LOCALITY,
now
in course of SUBDIVISION in a most LIBERAL MANNER by Mr. Licensed Surveyor Barton into
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BUSINESS SITES,
VILLA SITES, &c.

All of GOOD DIMENSIONS, and facing WIDE STREETS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the TRUSTEES in the Estate of the late Hon. JOHN BLAXLAND, to sell by public auction,
on the GROUND,
on an EARLY DATE, of which due notice will be given,
The above valuable Estate at RYDE, situate between the RYDE and KISSING POINT ROADS, and adjoining the RAILWAY STATION.

PLANS and all particulars of which will be duly advertised.

Title, TORRENS' ACT. TERMS most LIBERAL.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

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SUNDRY PROPERTIES
situate at
KINGSTON,
HOMEBUSH,
SANDRINGHAM,
BALMAIN,
and
SPRINGWOOD.

W. PRITCHARD and SON have received positive instructions to sell by auction, in the Federal Auction Rooms, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,

KINGSTON or CAMPERDOWN. A Newtown Corner Allotment of Land, having a frontage of about 41ft. to Australia-street, by a side frontage along Eton-street, upon which is erected a small Shop and Dwelling, let at 12s per week. Torrens' title.
* A splendid position for the erection of two good shops.
Stanmore Estate, for positively unreserved sale, Several Allotments fronting Emily, Perry, and Gordon streets. Torrens' title.

HOMEBUSH. Immediately at the Railway Station, a splendid Corner Block, having a frontage of 210ft. to Railway Station and Loftus-street, and — ft. to Government road. Torrens' title.

SANDRINGHAM. Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, sec. 1, and lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, sec. 4, of the Ellesmere Estate, each having a frontage of 1 chain, by a depth of 4 chains, making in all a compact block of about 3½a.; running back from Rocky Point-road, along which tram runs to Kogarah Bay.

BALMAIN. Lot —, of Oxford Estate, Balmain West, having a frontage of 30ft. to Oxford-street, by a depth of 90ft. to Park-street, to which it has a frontage of —ft.

SPRINGWOOD. Sassafrass Gully Reserve. Splendid Site for a Sanatorium—original selection, No. 50, parish of Magdala, Springwood, containing 50 acres, having frontages to two Government roads, and the charming and far-famed Sassafrass Gully, which is without exception the most lovely spot on the mountains. There are also upon this property two most picturesque glens, down one of which the Government have formed a most convenient path, which is much used by sightseers; and as this block is surrounded on three sides by the Sassafrass Park Reserve it is unique in its possession of so great an advantage.

Plans and further particulars may be obtained at the Federal Auction Rooms, King and Pitt streets, Sydney.

PRELIMINARY.

To Trustees, Builders, Speculators, and Others.

SPLENDID RENT-PRODUCING PROPERTIES, REDFERN.

Just Beyond the City Boundary.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE P. GUERIN, Esq.

W. PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions from the Trustees in the Estate of the late P. Guerin, Esq., to sell by auction, in the Federal Auction Room, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,
The above.

Particulars of title from F. Gannon, Esq., Solicitor, Federal-chambers; or from the Auctioneers.

GOLDWATER AND OTHERS versus TAYLOR.

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT.

SPLENDID SUBDIVISION BLOCK OF LAND,
containing seven acres two roods thirty perches, situate at the corner of
Dowling and Gipps and Hirst streets,
ARNCLIFFE,
within short distance of Arncliffe Railway Station.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

W. PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions to sell by auction (by order of the Supreme Court) at the Federal Auction Rooms, Pitt and King streets, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,
All that extensive Block of Land, containing seven acres two roods and thirty perches, having frontages of five chains to Dowling-street, nine chains forty-eight links to Hirst-street, two chains to Gipps-street, situate adjacent to Mr. Judd's well-known property, and close to the Railway Station and Church.

Particulars of title may be obtained from Frederick Gannon, Esq., solicitor, Federal-chambers.

Plans and further particulars at the Rooms.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

MORT and CO., Limited, in conjunction with Mr. BOURKE, of MURRUMBURRAH, have received instructions from the Executors of the estate of the late Hon. JOHN NAGLE RYAN, M.L.C., to offer for SALE by Auction, in Sydney, at a future date of which due notice will be given,
The well-known BALLYRYAN ESTATE, containing about 9000 acres of the richest of the far-famed BURROWA PLAINS AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

For particulars of title, apply to
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Any further information can be obtained on application to
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Having the MONEY for INVESTMENT, they have it to LEND, and do not simply advertise this. If you want to build a house you can be sure of
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ONLY £1 DEPOSIT.

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Just come and see the Land for yourself.

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THIS AFTERNOON you can buy cheap at STRATHFIELD SOUTH.

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THIS AFTERNOON we promise you we will sell, as we are not hampered with outrageous reserves.

COME and JUDGE for YOURSELVES.

YOU'RE SURE TO SEE MONEY IN IT.

Call at once for FREE TICKETS and PLANS
From VENDORS, or
GARRARD and HAMILTON, Auctioneers,
122a, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17.

BENOWA ESTATE
and
PLANTATION
at
NERANG RIVER, QUEENSLAND.

By order of the Administrator in the Estate of the late ROBERT MUIR, Esq.

UNRIVALLED OPPORTUNITY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT
to
CAPITALISTS,
GRAZIERS,
AGRICULTURISTS,
LAND SYNDICATORS,
and
OTHERS.

JAMES R. DICKSON and COMPANY have been favoured with instructions from JOHN GEBBIE, Esq., Administrator in the Estate of the late Robert Muir, Esq., of Benowa, Southport, to sell by public auction, at their Mart, Queen-street, Brisbane,
on MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, at 11 o'clock,
That magnificent agricultural Estate, long and favourably known in connection with Mr. Robert Muir, as his
BENOWA PLANTATION,
Nerang River,
comprising the following blocks of country, namely:—
County of Ward, Parish of Nerang—

	A.	R.	P.
Subdivision 4 of subdivision 2 of portions 28, 29, and 30, containing	277	3	27½
Subdivision E of portion 27	295	1	35 1-10
Subdivision A of portion 44	354	0	35 3-10
Representing a total area (more or less) of	927	2	17 4-10

comprising an extent of the richest alluvial lands in Queensland, possessing about
TWO AND A HALF MILES' FRONTAGE
to the
NAVIGABLE WATERS
of
THE NERANG RIVER,
which bounds the Estate on one side, enabling steamers to load and discharge at any point, and only distant from
SOUTHPORT
about 4 miles by a good road, which bounds the Estate on the other side, and leads from Southport and Cambabah by way of Carrara Ferry to Nerang Township.

The land for the greater part consists of extensive flats of the richest scrub, alluvial deposit, with gently undulating ridges of fine well-grassed, open forest, divided by fences into cultivation and grazing paddocks.
This splendid Estate is admittedly one of the finest blocks of agricultural land in Southern Queensland, and cultivation has been extensively carried on by the late owner, Mr. Muir, who spent large sums not only in cultivation, but in opening up and improving the property by forming roads, drains, &c., &c., all of which materially increase the value to the investor.
In addition to the extent of cultivation, which represents about — acres of fine healthy cane, comprising the best varieties of canes, and also the extensive buildings and plant for sugar manufacturing, the latter comprising:—
SUGAR MILL
1 10-inch cylinder 30-inch stroke engine
1 pair centrifugal engines
1 pair under-driven centrifugals
1 pair over-driven centrifugals
4 clarifiers
1 donkey-fed engine
1 pair rollers, 36 x 20
1 battery, built up
1 juice pump
3 juice tanks
2 trucks and tramway
Tanks, with necessary piping for steam from three boilers to various requirements
1 vacuum pan, with V. pump, connections and tanks, dippers, tubs, strainers, &c.

A very large and efficient
SAWMILL PLANT
has also been erected, which not only has supplied the wants of the estate, but has been of vast benefit to the district of Nerang, where splendid timber is abundant, and a large remunerative business trade and connection can through this industry be maintained by the purchaser of the Estate.

The plant comprises
SAW MILL,
1 travelling bed to carry 30ft. logs, with saw bench, beltings, pulleys, and shaftings
1 circular saw table, complete
1 circular saw, new, not used
6 spare saws, new.

A convenient
HOMESTEAD RESIDENCE
stands on the farm, in a central position, most charmingly situated, commanding a magnificent view of Nerang River, Tambourine, and the border mountains, the whole forming a grand panorama of majestic scenery not to be surpassed in Queensland.

As a gentleman's seat the property of
BENOWA
stands unrivalled, combining extent of land with the advantages of rich soil, natural water, charming scenery, and accessibility either by road or sea, while to land syndicates the advantages and immensely lucrative results when subdivided are so obvious as to dispense with any further reference.

The property abounds with
MAGNIFICENT VILLA SITES,
and the whole estate from its general advantages of accessibility, climate, &c., &c., would command ready sale if judiciously subdivided into farm areas, residence, and business sites, &c., &c., and a further source of immediate profit is open to investors, inasmuch as this magnificent estate,
BENOWA,
cannot be surpassed in its adaptability to purposes
of a
STUD FARM,
and the magnificent meadow flats in this estate, comprising over 600 acres, might be converted into lucerne paddocks, whereby stock might be expeditiously and economically fattened for the metropolitan market.

In short, it would be impossible, within the limits of an ordinary advertisement, to recount all the eligibilities of this property in the various uses to which it may be directed either in globo or subdivided blocks.

Commodious farm buildings, millhouse, and outbuildings, &c., fencing, &c., &c., constitute the other general improvements, and represent a large and judicious outlay by the late proprietor.

For all further particulars apply to the
AUCTIONEER.

Title under the Real Property Act.

Terms at Sale.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

TALLOW BOILING DOWN ESTABLISHMENT,
situated at
BROWN'S FARM, PUNCHBOWL-ROAD,
BANKSTOWN.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, have been instructed by J. H. Jenkins, Esq., to sell by auction, on the premises, Brown's Farm, Punchbowl-road, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, at 3 o'clock sharp,
The WHOLE of the PLANT of a STEAM BOILING-DOWN ESTABLISHMENT, consisting of
4 h.p. engine
2 new vertical boilers (one 10 h.p., one 4 h.p.) with injector
Saw bench, 4 boiling-down vats, fitted with steam worm; 10cwt. weighing machine, 2 draught horses, bone cart, dray, harness, corrugated iron shed, incubators, and lot of sundries.

The whole of the above in thorough working order, and MUST BE SOLD, owing to the owner giving up this branch of his business.
The PLANT can be inspected at Brown's Farm, Punchbowl-road. 'Bus from Burwood to Druitt Town, runs hourly, close to the establishment.

TERMS, CASH.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

THIS DAY.

UNDER THE REAL PROPERTY ACT.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8th.

ST. PETERS
ST. PETERS

COOK'S RIVER-ROAD.

BUSINESS SITES.

UNDER TORRENS' TITLE.

Adjacent to Bank, Post-office, Hotel, and Church.

Within 5 minutes' walk of 2 railway stations, 2 lines of 'buses passing the property.

ELEVATED LAND,
situate on the main road, at commanding corners.

THE VERY PICK OF THE LOCALITY.

BOYD and KING have received instructions from M. METCALFE, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the Ground, without reserve,
A MOST DESIRABLE PROPERTY,
consisting of main-road business sites, in the rapidly-improving and thickly-populated district of St. Peters, being the continuation of that business centre and suburb of Newtown, on the main road leading to Sydney's popular resorts of health and recreation.

This property offers incalculable inducements to investors and business men to secure valuable building sites for shops, stores, and factories in this desirable district, in close proximity to the metropolis, and having such exceptional facilities for continuous and speedy transit.
Immense and important improvements are now being carried out at Cook's River by the Government, in making the river navigable from the Pacific Ocean via that historical harbour of Botany Bay, the placid and refreshing waters of which can be viewed from the elevated altitude of this property.
An almost magical change is apparent in this picturesque river by the construction of extensive embankments extending some thousands of feet, on which, before many months are passed, wharfs and landing, for the accommodation of shipping, will be erected, thus making Cook's River-road, thence via Newtown to Sydney, the main artery for the transit of merchandise and produce from our extensive coastal trade.
Adjacent to the property which the auctioneers are instructed to sell, will be the proposed site for a Public Park and Recreation Ground, and the dense population of St. Peters, Newtown, Cook's River, Arncliffe, Tempe, and surroundings, promise enormous scope for the development of the district for business purposes.
The enormous increase in the value of land in all parts of Newtown, and the establishment of the district on a firm and substantial basis of prosperity during the last few years, should be sufficient inducement to convince those seeking for profitable investments of the certainty of large returns to all securing real estate in this locality.
The immediate surroundings of the property are of a superior description, and the Villa Residences and mansions of Sydney merchants and business men, vastly enhance the popularity of the district and intrinsic value of freehold property in the nature of investment.

The Auctioneers' instructions are
TO SELL WITHOUT RESERVE,
on most liberal terms,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE BUSINESS SITES,
at Public Auction, on the Ground,
THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.

Plans and coach tickets from
BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, Pitt-street,
Sydney.

THIS DAY.

ST. PETERS LAND SALE.

A FOUR-HORSE COACH
will leave the Auctioneers' Rooms at 2.15, to convey a limited number of intending Purchasers on to the ground. Seats must be booked at once.

BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, Pitt-street.

Trains to St. Peters Station, Illawarra line, leave Sydney at 1.28 and 2.25. 'Buses from Wynyard-square every 20 minutes, pass the ground.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th.

NEW SUBDIVISION.

NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE.

200 CHOICE LOTS.

OVERLOOKING THE WATER.

TORRENS' TITLE.

TERMS:—
£5 per cent. deposit, balance 4s per week per £100, interest 6 per cent., payable quarterly.

Call for Lithographs.

Vendors:—Sydney Freehold Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited.

SYDNEY SMITH has received instructions to sell by auction, on SATURDAY, October 29th, at 3,
The above.

Free Steamer Tickets.

For further particulars, apply at the Rooms, 122, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5.

HOGAN'S BRUSH, GOSFORD,
adjoining Narrara Platform.

SPECIAL TRAIN.

Vendors:
HOGAN'S BRUSH LAND COMPANY, Limited.
C. A. MAXWELL, Manager.

SYDNEY SMITH has received instructions to sell by auction, on the Ground, SATURDAY, November 5,
The above.

Lithographs in course of preparation.

EASY TERMS.

Further particulars at the Rooms, 122, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

Preliminary Announcement.

SATURDAY, November 12, at 3.

FAIRFIELD PARK, FAIRFIELD.

AUCTION SALE,
ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 12th November.

TERMS:—
£1 deposit, balance, 10s per lot per month.
Interest—6 per cent.

Special Train. Free Tickets.

SYDNEY SMITH has received instructions to sell by auction, on the ground, SATURDAY, November 12, at 3 o'clock,
The above.

For further particulars, apply at the Rooms, 122, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

EXTENSIVE RIVERINA PROPERTY.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, at Messrs. Dalgety and Co.'s Sale Rooms, Bourke-street West, Melbourne, on THURSDAY, 1st DECEMBER NEXT, at 3 p.m.
TUBBO,
situated on the south bank of the Murrumbidgee River, between Messrs. Clark and M'Leay's Kerarbury and Mr. Angus Robertson's Yarrabee Park estates.

DOUGHARTY, SON, and PARKER (in conjunction with DALGETY and CO.) have been favoured with instructions from the Trustees in the estate of the late John Peter, Esq., to sell, as above.
TUBBO
comprises about 170,000 acres of freehold, together with leasehold and other lands, in all about
200,000 Acres,
well-fenced, and subdivided into 50 paddocks, with every requisite improvement.

The estate is watered by about 17 miles of the Murrumbidgee, anabranches, swamps, tanks, dams, wells, and forms one of the most complete pastoral properties anywhere, with a great future for agriculture, seeing that the land is so good, and irrigation can be carried on largely, and simply, by gravitation.
The sheep grazing upon the land are big, sound, carefully bred, well-woolled animals, cutting heavy fleeces.
Trucking places being almost contiguous to the estate, any number of prime fat stock can, with every facility, be taken into the Sydney or Melbourne markets, where they have for the past 35 years continually obtained the highest prices.
The Auctioneers may state that TUBBO is to be sold to the highest bidder, to close accounts in the estate of the late John Peter.
For any further information intending purchasers will please apply to the undersigned, where the plan will be exhibited; and the manager, Mr. J. H. SPILLER, will give every assistance for a thorough inspection.
DOUGHARTY, SON, and PARKER, 26, Market-buildings, Collins-street West, Melbourne; or
DALGETY and CO., Bourke-street West.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney, 1887.

THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK v. ROBERT BARBOUR.

ON TUESDAY, the 18th day of October, 1887, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of Robert Barbour, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Camden, parish of Burragorang, and colony of New South Wales, containing 40 acres, selected by John Hamilton Clark, at Camden, on the 8th June, 1871, being C. P. No. 71-1910, and transferred to Robert Barbour on the 31st August, 1885.
Terms, cash.
CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.
Messrs. FISHER, RALPH, and SALWEY, plaintiffs' attorneys, Sydney.

IN the Matter of the Winding-up of the CHAMPION COPPER-MINING COMPANY of NEW ZEALAND, Limited.

IN LIQUIDATION.

The Whole of the Property in the above matter, comprising LEASEHOLDS of 1138 Acres from the Crown, FREEHOLD of 26 Acres, on which is erected a Fraser and Chalmers Water Jacket Furnace, with all relative Plant necessary for the successful carrying on of smelting operations, will be submitted for SALE by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th of NOVEMBER, 1887, at the Auction Rooms of Messrs. Sharp and Sons, Trafalgar-street, Nelson, N.Z.
A. D. BAYFIELD,
Official Liquidator.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SUNDRY PROPERTIES
to be sold
by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street,
at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

LANE COVE (By order of the mortgagees).	Comfortable RESIDENCE, fronting NERIDAH-STREET, built of brick, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.
BURWOOD.	First-class RESIDENCE SITE, having 198 feet frontage to the BURWOOD-ROAD, and 305 feet to SEALE-STREET.
NEWTOWN.	Two DWELLING HOUSES, Nos. 56 and 58, University-street.
CABRAMATTA.	Capital BUILDING or SUBDIVISION BLOCK, 21a. 2r. 31p. in area, close to the RAILWAY STATION, and fronting the MAIN CABRAMATTA-ROAD.
PITTWATER.	30 ACRES of ORCHARD Property (opposite to SCOTLAND ISLAND), with W. B. COTTAGE thereon.
PENNANT HILLS (portion of Murray Farm Estate).	BLOCK of LAND, 20a. 0r. 8p. in area, fronting MAHER'S-ROAD, just off PENNANT HILLS-ROAD.

PENNANT HILLS,
About 1½ mile from BEECROFT PLATFORM.

BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 20a. 0r. 8p., situate fronting MAHER'S-ROAD, a short distance off the Pennant Hills-road, and being Lots 22 and 24, section 1, MURRAY FARM SUBDIVISION.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER.
The above-described farm, 10 acres of which have been under cultivation.

TWENTY MILES FROM TOWN.
TOWER BULL, CABRAMATTA.

A Building Site, containing 21a. 2r. 32p. only 30 chains from Cabramatta Railway Station, and fronting the Main Cabramatta-road.

One of the best sites in the country for a gentleman's residence, embracing as its does views of
The Town of Liverpool, the Racecourse, the National Park in the distance, the district around Campbelltown, Leppington, Mr. Harris' Property, &c., &c.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, in Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12,
The TOWER BULL PROPERTY, at Cabramatta Railway Station, as above-described. Plan on view.
Inspection can be made by trains leaving Sydney, 7 a.m., 9.6 a.m., 1 p.m., 4.23 p.m.

BURWOOD-ROAD and SEALE-STREET, BURWOOD.
VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND,
admirably adapted for the erection of a FIRST-CLASS FAMILY RESIDENCE, or would subdivide into 6 large ALLOTMENTS. THE TOTAL frontage to BURWOOD-ROAD is 198 feet and 305 feet to SEALE-STREET, being original allotments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, of section 2, of Seale and Ireland's subdivision. PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED BLOCK of LAND, on the heights of BURWOOD, in the immediate vicinity of the highly-improved properties of Messrs. RICHARD JONES, W. A. COTTIE, and Mrs. FORREST.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

LANE COVE.—COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE fronting NERIDAH-STREET, off Mowbray-road, built of brick, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.
THE LAND has a frontage of 100 feet to NERIDAH-STREET, by a depth of 200 feet to Bertram-street at the rear, being Lots 16 and 17, Sec. 4, of the Willoughby Park Estate.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT. Messrs. CREAGH and WILLIAMS, of Bridge-street, are the Mortgagees' Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the mortgagees to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
The ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

PITTWATER, opposite SCOTLAND ISLAND.

30 ACRES OF GOOD ARABLE LAND,
portion planted with about 700 Fruit Trees,
AT PITTWATER,
with W.B. COTTAGE, containing 6 rooms and outhouses thereon.
This property, which was formerly known as Chave's, is immediately opposite SCOTLAND ISLAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET,
WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
the above-described ORCHARD PROPERTY at PITTWATER, surrounded by the improved properties of Messrs. Willens, Wood, S. B. Bailey, Dr. Tibbitts, and others.

The attention of the public generally is particularly directed to the Sale as offering great PROSPECTIVE ADVANTAGES, for besides the income to be derived from the cultivation of the land, the proposed RAILWAY to PITTWATER (the bill for which is now before Parliament) is surveyed close to the property, and must, if carried out, immensely enhance the value.

NOS. 56 and 58, UNIVERSITY-STREET, NEWTOWN.
TWO BRICK DWELLING-HOUSES, one containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, and one containing 3 rooms and washhouse. The land has a frontage of 38ft. to UNIVERSITY-STREET, by a depth of 70ft. to lane at rear. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT. Easy terms.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th October,
The above described property, 5 minutes from tram.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE
CITY PROPERTY,
KENT-STREET,
close to KING-STREET, handy to the WHARFS, and surrounded by the
SPLENDID WAREHOUSES
of
Messrs. JNO. KEEP and SON, Messrs. FARMER and CO., and others.

THE LION STEAM FLOUR MILLS.
Known as No. 347, KENT-STREET, specially erected in a most SUBSTANTIAL MANNER of brick, with ornamental pressed brick fronts, on stone foundations, and comprising a SPACIOUS GROUND FLOOR and THREE FLATS over, each floor being specially adapted for weight-carrying; also a LARGE STORE of THREE STORIES at the rear, opening on to the MAIN BUILDING, and capable of holding about 250 tons of flour.
The whole of the interior work, such as Joists, Girders, Uprights, Flooring, &c., is of the best hardwood, and has been carefully selected to ENSURE DURABILITY.
The COSTLY MACHINERY, the greater part quite new, and COMPLETE WORKING PLANT, are all modern and patented, and certainly unequalled in the colonies, being specially constructed for the manufacture of FLOUR, RICE, &c., combining the largest possible out-turn with the greatest economy.
THESE IMPORTANT PREMISES, with conspicuous and commanding elevation and frontage, are, if so desired, capable of being turned into a warehouse or any kind of factory, at very small expense, as the MACHINERY is so placed that it could be easily REMOVED WITHOUT INTERFERING with the BUILDING, and could be readily sold if not required.

The LAND has a frontage of 45 feet to KENT-STREET, by the great depth of 128 feet.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 19th OCTOBER,
The above described valuable and centrally situated premises, known as the Lion Steam Flour Mills.

INSPECTION INVITED.

Trustees, investment companies, and business people generally should pay special attention to the sale of this property, and although a particular business has been for years conducted, the premises are equally adapted for general or storage requirements. The position is largely improving, and the growing importance of the neighbourhood justifies a much larger future value.

INSTRUCTIONS to SELL are POSITIVE. (842.)

CLIFFBROOK, COOGEE BAY.

A HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE and PICTURESQUE PROPERTY, situate in the midst of FINELY-TIMBERED GROUNDS, of about 11a. 1r. 8p. in area, possessing important frontages to BEACH and BATTERY STREETS, and sloping down to the rippling waters of GORDON BAY.

The RESIDENCE, which is massively built of stone, is approached by a carriage drive through a LODGE ENTRANCE, and commanding an easterly aspect, contains the following accommodation, all on the ground floor:—
LOFTY ENTRANCE HALL, a SPACIOUS and ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM, handsomely decorated, and richly corniced; DINING-ROOM, BREAKFAST or MORNING ROOM. There are also three LIGHT and CHEERFUL BEDROOMS, bathroom, &c.
The DOMESTIC OFFICES comprise—PANTRY, fitted with Cupboards and Shelves; KITCHEN, with Range; SCULLERY, with Sink and Baker's Oven; Large LAUNDRY, fitted with Washtubs, Copper, &c.; TWO SERVANTS' ROOMS, Boathouse, Wood, Coal, and Ashpits.
IN THE DAYLIGHT BASEMENT,
TWO STOREROOMS, DAIRY, and WINE CELLAR.
THE STABLING DEPARTMENT
Contains THREE-STALL STABLE, COACHHOUSE, WORKSHOP, Man's Room, and Loft over, all opening on to a large-paved Stable-yard. There is also a Cowshed and a Cartshed.
The GROUNDS are of a picturesque and undulating character, and are tastefully laid out with PARTERRES and TERRACED LAWNS.

HARDIE and GORMAN are instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19,
The above-described WATERSIDE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, at COOGEE, known as CLIFFBROOK.
The attention of gentlemen on the look out for a charming and attractive waterside residence is directed to the sale of "Cliffbrook," which is situate in one of the prettiest spots in the eastern suburbs. The residence is compact, and the grounds are in splendid order. Inspection invited.
Plan on view. Title, freehold. Terms liberal, at sale.

COMPACT and IMPROVING SUBURBAN INVESTMENT at WOOLWICH POINT, HUNTER'S HILL.
TWO SEMI-DETACHED DWELLING HOUSES, substantially built of stone, and each containing verandahs back and front, balconies, drawing-room, dining-room, 4 bedrooms, and storeroom. Let to respectable tenants. The land has 50ft. frontage to PALSER-STREET, by a depth of 150ft. overlooking the LANE COVE and PARRAMATTA RIVERS.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 19th OCTOBER.
The above described RESIDENCE, at Hunter's Hill, situate only 3 minutes from the ferry.

COMPACT CITY INVESTMENT.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

NOS. 53 and 55, KENT-STREET NORTH, a short distance south of ARGYLE-STREET.
The HOUSES are three stories each, built of STONE fronts, with slate roofs, and contain hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse, with balconies back and front, city water laid on.
The LAND has a frontage of 30 feet 2 inches by a depth of 67 feet, with a right-of-way at side 20 feet wide.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. J. A. DOWLING, Esq., of O'Connell-street, is Vendor's solicitor.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th October,
The above described property, situated nearly opposite to a Government reserve, next to Kennedy's Buildings, and let to good tenants.
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SATURDAY, 22nd OCTOBER.

FOY'S SUBDIVISION,
BALMAIN.

SALE ON THE GROUND.

37 SPLENDID SITES
for the
ERECTION OF RESIDENCES.

The frontages averaging from 30ft. to 40ft. each, with back Entrance to every Lot, fronting
REYNOLD'S-STREET, HARTLEY-STREET, FOY-STREET,
close to the Reynold-street Ferry.

Also, SIX DETACHED COTTAGE RESIDENCES.

The terms for the land will be 10 per cent. deposit, balance by 24 monthly payments, at 6 per cent.; and for the Cottages one-third deposit, balance 1 and 2 years at 6 per cent.

REMEMBER THIS SALE FOR SATURDAY, 22nd OCTOBER.

PLANS in a few days.
HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, 22nd OCTOBER.

FOY'S SUBDIVISION,
BALMAIN.

SALE ON THE GROUND.

37 SPLENDID BUILDING SITES,
the frontages averaging from 30ft. to 40ft. each, with back entrance to every lot, fronting
REYNOLDS-STREET, WORTLEY-STREET,
FOY-STREET,
close to the Reynolds-street Ferry.
Also,
SIX DETACHED COTTAGE RESIDENCES.

The terms for the LAND will be:
10 per cent. deposit, balance by 24 monthly payments, at 6 per cent.,
and for the COTTAGES, one-third deposit, the balance 1 and 2 years, at 6 per cent.

Remember this Sale for SATURDAY, 22nd October.

Plans in a few days.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers.

TO TRUSTEES, INVESTORS, and BUILDING SOCIETIES.

PITT-STREETS
between
KING and MARKET STREETS,

An IMPORTANT and VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY,
situate between the occupations of
Messrs. A. THOMPSON and CO., Wine and Spirit Merchants,
and
The Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Company's Office.

The LAND (lot 3, section 35, city of Sydney) has a frontage of 66ft. 10in. to Pitt-street, by the unusual depth of 155ft.
Upon which are erected the commodious Premises as follows:—
No. 154. LARGE SHOP, occupied by Mr. W. Buttel, butcher, together with extensive dwelling over and stables and coachhouse at rear.
No. 152. SHOP, occupied by Mrs. F. Gillham as a restaurant, with the dwelling over.
The SITUATION is EXCEEDINGLY UNIQUE, being in the very heart and centre of the METROPOLIS, and surrounded by MAGNIFICENT BUSINESS PREMISES.
Amongst many may be mentioned those of
MESSRS. HORDERN BROTHERS
MESSRS. HARRIS and ACKMAN
MESSRS. FARMER and CO.
HER MAJESTY'S NEW THEATRE
MESSRS. SOUL and SON
and the
FEDERAL BANK.

For particulars as to title apply
G. J. SLY, Esq., SOLICITOR, 32, YORK-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from RICHARD MEARES, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
THAT VALUABLE
CITY FREEHOLD,
situate in PITT-STREET, five (5) doors south of KING-STREET, Nos. 152 and 154, at present occupied by Mrs. F. Gillham and Mr. W. Buttel.

PLAN and SURVEY NOW BEING PREPARED by Messrs. DAWSON and DAWSON, Surveyors, of 88, PITT-STREET.

CLOSE TO SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION.
MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
comprising
over 400 Acres of RICH ARABLE LAND,
at present covered with
REALLY EXCELLENT TIMBER.

This PROPERTY, which has immense prospective value, is available for immediate subdivision into
ORCHARD or VINEYARD BLOCKS,
for which purpose it is admirably adapted, as proved by the vineyard adjoining of Mons. Marie, and others in close proximity.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
The above described property, close to SPRINGWOOD, known as
THE MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
which is being brought into the market solely to close a partnership account; it is, therefore, with confidence that the Auctioneers invite the attention of speculators, syndicates, or building societies to the sale, as
THE OWNERS HAVE POSITIVELY DECIDED TO SELL.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

HIGHLY VALUABLE BLOCK
of
CITY BUILDING LAND,
in
BRIDGE-STREET,
between
PITT and GEORGE STREETS.

99 YEARS' LEASE—equal to a Freehold.

THAT SPLENDID SITE,
consisting of
TRICKETT'S HOTEL and VACANT LAND adjoining, having about 36 FEET 4 inches frontage to the NORTH SIDE of BRIDGE-STREET, by a depth of 71 feet 4 inches, and having a lane at side.

HARDIE and GORMAN will SELL at AUCTION, in the SALE ROOMS, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER,
The LEASE for 99 YEARS, with a right to purchase, of the above-described PROPERTY, and which is close to
THE EXCHANGE,
THE A. J. S. BANK,
and the new VARIOUS BUSINESS PREMISES in BRIDGE-STREET.

The RENT will be fixed by the biddings, and the BUILDING COVENANT will be £5000, to be expended within three years from date of lease.

The SPECIAL ATTENTION of business persons, investors, and building societies is directed to this Sale.
Possession of the Vacant Land can be given at once, and of the HOTEL portion next SEPTEMBER.

PLAN on VIEW at the SALE ROOMS.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

CABRAMATTA. CABRAMATTA.

PROUT'S GRANT,
opposite to and surrounding the G. S. R. Line.

FIRST SALE
of that WELL-POSITIONED and HIGHLY VALUABLE BUILDING ESTATE,
Surrounding the CABRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION,
known as
PROUT'S GRANT,
120 ACRES of which, immediately opposite the RAILWAY STATION,
on the northern side, are being
CLEARED and SCRUBBED for subdivision into BLOCKS of ¼ to 5 acres.

For a long time past the PROGRESS of the district has been RETARDED, owing to this large Building Estate having been LOCKED UP; but it is now our pleasure to announce that
THE PROPERTY WILL BE PLACED IN THE MARKET for ABSOLUTE SALE in
BLOCKS TO SUIT ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS.

The Loopline from Liverpool to St. Peters will bring this property within
FOURTEEN MILES OF SYDNEY,
while the flourishing township of LIVERPOOL is but two miles distant.

The TERMS will be arranged specially easy, extending over a period of years.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to prepare for Sale,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
the above-described BUILDING ESTATE
at
CABRAMATTA,
SURROUNDING THE RAILWAY STATION.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON THE DAY OF SALE. (801)

FARMS. FARMS.

MOUNT PLEASANT ESTATE,
PENRITH.

ROBERT STUART has received instructions from the Trustees in the estate of the late Mrs. M. F. HOSKING to sell by public auction, at the Temperance Hall, Penrith, on SATURDAY, the 15th OCTOBER next, at half-past 3 o'clock,
13 valuable farms, on the Mount Pleasant Estate, containing from 16 to 60 acres each, several of which have frontages to the Nepean River, and the whole of which are situate within 4 miles of the Penrith Railway Station.
Parties wishing to procure snug homes within easy distance of the metropolis are specially invited to inspect the above.
TERMS, EXTREMELY EASY.

Auction Sales.

SPLENDID CITY BUILDING BLOCK.

To MANUFACTURERS, CAPITALISTS, PRODUCE MERCHANTS, AGENTS, and PHILANTHROPISTS.

1 ACRE 2 ROODS 17 PERCHES,

close to the very heart of the CITY. Near busy wharfs and RAILWAY at DARLING HARBOUR, with large frontages to DUNCAN-STREET, JAMES-STREET, JAMES-LANE, and entrance from SUSSEX-STREET, near to BATHURST-STREET WEST, being the site of the historic and long-occupied BARKER'S MILLS, formerly working flour as the product, and more latterly and now known as VICAR'S TWEED FACTORY.

From the eligible situation of this block, coupled with the exceptional LARGENESS OF THE AREA in the CITY, only a few hundred feet from the water, it should engage the attention of BUILDING SYNDICATES for COMMERCIAL STORE purposes and industrial capitalists, or it would prove a favourable opportunity to our wealthy colonists of acquiring a GRAND SITE for the experiment of the erection of MODEL ARTISAN DWELLINGS.

It will be leased for 21 YEARS' term, from 1st JANUARY, 1888 (with moderate Building Covenant), so that the considerable capital sum of its value is not to be found and paid by a buyer, and the ANNUAL RENTAL will remain the same throughout the whole period.

TERMS.—Purchasers to bid an ANNUAL RENTAL, and also to make a cash payment of £6000, by way of bonus, viz.: —25 per cent. deposit, and the balance on execution of the LEASE.

The present buildings are extensive and varied, and the machinery therein belonging to the vendor will become the property of the buyer without extra cost.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees of the Will of the late THOMAS BARKER, Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, PITT-STREET, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The lease for 21 years of the above large CENTRAL CITY BLOCK of LAND. (1429)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

CROSS ROADS, SUTTON FOREST, near MOSS VALE.

BLOCK of LAND, in area 60 ACRES, known as WILLIAM SMITH'S GRANT, fronting the OLD ARGYLE-ROAD and adjoining MEEHAN'S FARM, in the immediate neighbourhood of other good properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above valuable grant, only a short distance beyond the Cross Roads, near Moss Vale.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
C. B. PITT, Esq., George-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee.
(1494)

TO BE SOLD CHEAP.
A REDFERN FREEHOLD INVESTMENT.

TUAM and WAITUAN,
two 3-story RESIDENCES, on the east side of CASTLEREAGH-STREET, REDFERN ESTATE, a few yards south of Cleveland-street, close new park and Prince Alfred Park.

*** These dwellings are substantially built of brick, cemented fronts, on stone, slate roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, each containing hall and 14 rooms

The land has 36 feet frontage, depth 100 feet, extending to a lane. Rental, £4 17s 6d per week.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,

The above well-situated and good letting property, fronting one of the best streets in the handy and healthy suburb of Redfern. Inspection invited. Torrens' Act. Terms liberal, at Sale. (1499)

SUMMER HILL,
Immediately at the Railway Station.

VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENT,
No. 41, SECTION 7,
UNDERWOOD ESTATE,

South side of Railway Line, having 50 feet frontage to CARLTON CRESCENT, with a depth of 200 feet extending to Hardie-avenue.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above building site, on the south side of railway line at SUMMER HILL, a few yards west of Lackey-street.
Plan on view. (1495)

MANLY BEACH.

CHARMING RESIDENCE, "CARDOWAN," occupying a really splendid position overlooking the GOVERNMENT RESERVE and CRICKET GROUND, and adjoining the superior Residence and Grounds of S. B. BAILEY, Esq. It is built of weatherboards, lathed and plastered inside, on stone foundations, having verandah front and rear, and containing wide hall, four main rooms, bathroom, storeroom, kitchen, and washhouse, with five good bedrooms on first floor; at rear is shed for coal and wood; underground and overground tanks. It is easy of access, being only 5 minutes' walk from the ferry. The LAND has a frontage of 80 feet to EAST PROMENADE, with a depth of 101 feet through to WHISTLER-STREET, to which the frontage is also 80 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 14th October, at 11 o'clock,

The above splendid residence, for occupation or as an investment.
TERMS AT SALE.
Keys at the Rooms. (1478)

BY ORDER OF MORTGAGEE.

KALUDAH, an attractive and faithfully-built COTTAGE RESIDENCE on LIVERPOOL-ROAD, SUMMER HILL, one of the CHOICEST SPOTS in this highly-improved and popular suburb, and only 8 minutes' walk from the railway station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,

Block of land, 50 feet frontage to north side of Liverpool-road, Summer Hill, depth 168 feet. On it is erected KALUDAH, a detached COTTAGE of brick (cemented front and gable), on stone foundation, slate roof, verandah front and rear, and containing hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen, washhouse of iron, detached wooden stable; garden plot in front; good supply of water.

*** It is seldom a cottage so substantially built and well situated can be obtained, therefore those seeking a small and comfortable home in one of the best of our railway suburbs are requested to inspect Kaludah.

C. B. PITT, Esq., George-street, is solicitor of the mortgagee. Torrens' title. (1497)

CHEAP AND SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE in a CHEERFUL AND ELEVATED POSITION at RANDWICK, one minute from tram stopping place, a few yards from the CRICKET GROUND RESERVE, handy to RACECOURSE and CENTENNIAL PARK, and surrounded by first-class properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,

That allotment of land, having 20 feet frontage to BELMORE-ROAD (train line), depth 137 feet, extending to lane at rear.

On it is RAVENSCROFT, faithfully built of brick, cemented and painted, on stone foundation, tiled verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, drawing and dining rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen with stove and large dresser, pantry, washhouse with tubs, copper, and sink; detached shed; gas and water laid on; venetian blinds go with property.

It will be sold cheap, and is well worthy of inspection by those seeking a comfortable and attractive home in a favourite, healthy and convenient suburb.

Note.—Being empty, the property will be open for inspection from 2 to 5 p.m. daily, Sunday excepted.
Terms, liberal at sale. (1514.)

MORTGAGEE SALE.
SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1. CAMPERDOWN.—Two 4-roomed Brick HOUSES, in SUSAN-STREET, only two doors from corner of Brown-street. They have verandahs and balconies, and are known as Mr. Rose's property.
2. CAMPERDOWN.—THREE Weatherboard COTTAGES, Nos. 61 to 65, COLLEGE-STREET. These are lathed and plastered inside, and known as Mr. Rose's property.
*** Capital letting properties.
3. BALMAIN.—Good Weatherboard COTTAGE of 3 rooms, in LONGVIEW-STREET, with Stone HOUSE at rear; land, 30 feet to Longview-street, with a depth of 120 feet. It is known as Mr. Shanlank's property.
4. BALMAIN.—CORNER SHOP and DWELLING, CURTIS-ROAD and CHURCH-STREET. It has 6 apartments, stables. A good opportunity for an industrious man to start business.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban freeholds.
Terms at sale. (1513)

STANMORE.

SHOP and DWELLING FRONTING STANMORE-ROAD, BETWEEN LIBERTY and MERCHANT STREETS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

Allotment of land, having 66 feet frontage to Stanmore-road by a depth of about 99 feet 6 inches, extending to a lane at the rear, to which the frontage is also 66 feet; upon portion of which is erected shop and dwelling, built of brick, on stone foundation, shingle roof, with awning in front, containing shop, 3 rooms, and kitchen. Detached at rear are stables of weatherboards and iron.

Keys of premises at Mr. Tuft's, grocer, King-street, Newtown.
TERMS AT SALE. (1509)

GOOD CORNER BUSINESS SITE on PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CAMPERDOWN.

It has FRONTAGES of 90ft. to this GREAT THOROUGHFARE, 100ft. to LYONS-ROAD, and 90ft. to BARR-STREET.

*** Frontages on this busy and valuable road are sought after for business premises. This block is a grand site for six shops.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the MAYOR of CAMPERDOWN to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Well worth the attention of builders and capitalists.
Plan on view. (1498)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1st. HAYMARKET.—CORNER BLOCK of LAND, having frontages of about 27 feet to north side of CAMPBELL-STREET, just east of Elizabeth-street. 120 feet to Exeter-lane and 27 feet to Exeter-place; on it are the following Dwellings:—Nos. 58 and 60, Campbell-street, of brick on stone, each 2 rooms and w. kitchen; W. Cottage, in Exeter-lane, containing 2 rooms and kitchen; 2 brick Houses, Exeter-lane, each 2 rooms and kitchen; 2 brick Houses, Nos. 13 and 15, Exeter-place, each 2 rooms and w. kitchen. Rentals, £4 11s per week.

*** CAMPBELL-STREET, at this property, is about to be widened; if this takes place, it will become the main thoroughfare from the south part of the city to Oxford-street and the eastern suburbs.

2nd. GLEBE.—Block of LAND, having 99 feet frontage to GLEBE-STREET, depth 83 feet. On it are erected the following premises:—
TWO SHOPS, Nos. 72 and 74, of brick on stone, each 5 apartments: one has wooden stalling, one has a balcony
THREE WEATHERBOARD COTTAGES, Nos. 76 to 80, containing severally 2 rooms and kitchen; verandah, 4 rooms and shed, stabling, verandah, 3 rooms and kitchen.
RENTALS, £3 9s per week.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 35 years to run; ground rent, £24 per annum.

3rd. GLEBE.—Block of LAND, having 58 feet frontage to ARUNDEL-TERRACE, opposite University, depth 150 feet extending to and having a frontage to CATHERINE-STREET. On it are erected Nos. 25 and 27, Arundel-terrace, of brick on stone foundations, slate roofs, each containing hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and washhouse; No. 25 has stable and coachhouse of weatherboards.
RENTAL, £2 15s per week.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 68 years to run; ground rent, £20 10s per annum.

4th. REDFERN.—Corner ALLOTMENT, having frontages to Walker-street, Phillip-street, and lane at rear. On it is erected No. 218, Walker-street, a SHOP and Dwelling of brick, cemented front, and containing 6 apartments, and washhouse; shed used as stable.
RENTAL, £1 1s per week.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 66 years to run: ground rent, £11 18s 4d per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned city and suburban investments.
TERMS—Half cash, balance may remain at 7 per cent. per annum. (1487)

IN THE ESTATE LATE JAMES FLOOD.
BALMAIN WEST.

EXTENSIVE and VALUABLE CORNER PROPERTY, having frontages to ABATTOIR-ROAD, GORDON STREET, and BURT-STREET, subdivided as follows:—

LOT 1.—FLOOD'S HOTEL, at the corner of Abattoir-road and Gordon-street
It is built of stone and brick, with balcony in front, and containing bar, hall, 2 sitting-rooms, dining-room, 7 bedrooms, kitchen, and numerous sheds at rear, cellar in basement, gas and city water laid on.
THE LAND has 38 feet frontage to Abattoir-road, and 98 feet to Gordon-street.
Rental, £156 per annum.

LOTS 2 to 10.—Having frontages of from 30 feet to 79 feet 10 inches to Abattoir-road, with depths ranging from 219 feet 10 inches to 109 feet. On lots 2 and 3 are two Weatherboard Cottages of 4 rooms.

LOT 11.—EIGHT Brick COTTAGES, on stone foundations, with verandah in front, and containing each 2 rooms and kitchen, city water laid on. Rental, 8s 6d per week each.
THE LAND has 111 feet frontage to Gordon-street, with a depth extending to a lane of 94 feet 3 inches.
IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.

LOT 12. VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND having 48 feet frontage to GORDON-STREET, with a depth along a lane of 99 feet 3 inches.

LOTS 13, 14, and 15.—TWO HOUSES and COTTAGE. The former containing respectively 7 rooms and kitchen, and 4 rooms, kitchen, and shed; the latter contains 4 rooms.
THE LAND has frontages of 42 feet 3 inches to Abattoir-road, and 28 feet 7 inches to Burt-street, with a depth through of 59 feet on one side and 82 feet on the other.

LOT 16.—VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK, having 87 feet frontage to Abattoir-road, and a similar frontage to Burt-street.
Also,
FOUR VALUABLE BUILDING SITES, having frontages of 30 feet each to Abattoir-road, east of the above properties, with depths ranging from 132 feet to 145 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above VALUABLE SUBDIVISION at BALMAIN. PLAN on view, and LITHOGRAPHS are now ready.
Terms at sale. (1481)

MORTGAGEE SALE.

TO BREWERS, HOTEL PROPRIETORS, CAPITALISTS, and SPECULATORS.

VERY VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY, at the corner of ELIZABETH and RANDLE STREETS (two busy thoroughfares leading to the Railway Station, Old Exhibition Building, &c., &c.), consisting of THE CITY VIEW HOTEL (at the corner), THREE HOUSES and VACANT LAND (Elizabeth-street), THREE HOUSES (Randle-street).
RENTAL, £444 12s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of CITY LAND, having frontages of 145 FEET to ELIZABETH-STREET 130½ FEET to RANDLE-STREET,
on portion of which are erected the following premises:—
AT THE CORNER, the CITY VIEW HOTEL, of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, slate roof, with balcony in front and two sides, and containing bar, 10 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and cellar.
ELIZABETH-STREET.—THREE HOUSES, Nos. 373 to 377, of brick on stone, with balconies in front, and each containing 4 rooms and kitchen.
RANDLE-STREET.—THREE HOUSES, Nos. 2 to 6, of brick, cemented fronts, with verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing 4 rooms and kitchen.
*** A portion of the Elizabeth-street frontage is vacant and well adapted for the erection of shops.
This EXTENSIVE BLOCK of PROPERTY is in the market for sale by order of the mortgagee.
The hotel being at the corner of two busy streets, commands a good trade, and the houses from their close proximity to the railway station and business centre should command constant tenants at high rentals.
TITLE—Cleveland Estate leasehold, about 78 years to run, at a ground rent of only £30 per annum. (1483)

DWELLING-HOUSES, IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

PITT-TERRACE, HOLT-STREET, NEWTOWN, at the corner of Station and College streets, a little south of Enmore-road, near tram, train, and omnibus.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
Block of land, 100 feet to Holt-street, 68 feet to Station-street, and 65 feet to College-street. On it are erected SIX DWELLING-HOUSES, of brick, cemented, on stone, slate roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing hall, 6 rooms, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse. City water laid on.
A capital chance for those seeking a home or an investment. They are neatly finished and conveniently situated.
Title Torrens'. Easy terms. (1496)

HEIGHTS OF CAMPBELLTOWN.

Comfortable Cottage and Farm of 50 acres, an easy walk from Station, known as North's, and lately occupied by Mr. Brown, close to the residence of Mrs. Woodhouse. The views are represented as excellent, embracing in their wide range Badgelly, Mount Gilead, Windmill, and the far-stretching valleys on to Denham Court, Greystanes, and Baulkham Hills.
The cottage is of weatherboard, containing verandahs, drawing and dining rooms, 2 bedrooms, &c., hall, spacious brick kitchen with range; dairy, washhouse, large outside room could be made into a capital dining-room), workman's cottage, &c.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, recommended to any seeking either a permanent home or country retreat in a notedly healthy district, so convenient to city by frequent trains.
Plan on view.
Terms can be arranged. (1490)

DENISON-ROAD, PETERSHAM.

A comfortable, well-built TWO-STORY RESIDENCE, fronting DENISON-ROAD, near TOOTHILL-STREET. It contains verandah and balcony in front, hall, drawing and dining rooms (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen and laundry, detached stable and coachhouse.
The House is well built, marble mantels and tiled hearths in 3 rooms
The Land has 36 feet frontage, depth 140 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock (unless previously disposed of by private treaty),
The above delightfully situated residence at Petersham.
Terms at sale. (1520)

PARK-ROAD, HURSTVILLE.

Deservedly the most popular suburb on ILLAWARRA LINE.
TWO GOOD SHOPS and Dwellings (with fixtures), each having shop, 5 rooms, kitchen and pantry, wide verandah and balcony, 2-stall stable, yard, &c.; buildings are of brick.
LAND is a CORNER, lot 61, sec. 6, of HURSTVILLE PARK, facing PARK-ROAD and a lane quite close to main FOREST-ROAD; also BANK, CHURCH, &c., and in the advancing part of this pretty district.
TERMS VERY EASY. SMALL DEPOSIT.
Key with Mr. George Brown, builder, Hurstville, who will show the property.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, October 21, at 11 o'clock,
These HURSTVILLE properties, TORRENS' TITLE, easy terms. (1522)

DOWLING and JUDGE STREETS, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

COTTAGE No. 99, DOWLING-STREET, containing 2 rooms and kitchen; also, STONE HOUSE No. 18, JUDGE-STREET, having verandah, 4 rooms, and kitchen. Land is 14ft. frontage to each street, by a good depth through. As there is a gate entrance to yard, it would prove a good purchase by van, dray, or cab proprietor, so handy to the city and wharfs. The position is sure to advance in value in a few years at most.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above front position, Woolloomooloo, near wharf. Sure to prove a profitable purchase. (1521)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MRS. JOUBERT.

LANE COVE RIVER at FIGTREE WHARF.

1st. That Substantial, commodious, and Remarkably Well-finished COTTAGE RESIDENCE, of stone, slate roof, with verandah front and rear, and containing hall, 12 rooms, kitchen, and outbuildings of brick, cellars; detached are 6-stall stable, coachhouse, feedroom, fowlhouse, and pigstye. It is now in the occupation of Mrs. Hughes.
The LAND has an area 2 ACRES 1 rood 3½ perches; has roads on three sides,

2nd. COTTAGE RESIDENCE, of brick, lath and plaster on stone foundation, with verandah front and side, and containing 7 rooms, kitchen, and laundry.
The LAND, in area 2 acres 1 rood 11½ perches (adjoins lot 1), has a large frontage Lane Cove River, and extends to and has a frontage to the Avenue.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above delightfully situated and choice suburban residences, with extensive area of grounds, only a few yards from Figtree Wharf, Lane Cove River.
Plan on view. CARDS to inspect on application at the Rooms.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Estate. (1488)

SHARES AND CHOICE SITES, ILLAWARRA LINE
Early picked Positions by a good judge.

ARNCLIFFE.—Lots 10 and 11, KELSEY-STREET, Wollongong-road, each 40ft. x 120ft.; also, Lot 19, fronting Station-street, 40ft. x 120ft. All above only a few minutes from station, near Wesleyan and Anglican Churches, and to the residences of Messrs. Barden, Judd, and others.

OCEAN VIEW ESTATE, ROCKDALE.—Lots 1 to 6 of section 3, having 400ft. frontage by 177ft. fronting HARROW-ROAD. Part is corner blocks, facing Monometh and Gladstone streets. This is a magnificent block in an aristocratic locality, surrounded by the palatial residences of Messrs. M'Leod, Bull, Shepherd, Kinsela, Chapman, Burns, Tidswell, Churches, &c., GAS laid past this land.
DITTO.—LOT 2 SEC. 4, 66ft. to HARROW-ROAD x 177ft.
DITTO.—DOUBLE CORNER BLOCK, 117ft. to BAY-STREET, 177ft. to HARROW-ROAD, 177ft. to BEACONSFIELD-STREET. Undoubtedly one of the very choicest sites on the whole of this famous estate,
ROCKDALE ESTATE.—Lots 49 and 50, each 40ft. CAMERON-STREET x 132ft.
Lots 15 and 16, ditto, GIBBS-STREET x 132ft.
These abut on each other, and near station.

FIVE SHARES NATIONAL PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY, each £20 fully paid up.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st October,
The above shares and lands. (1528)

STEADY INCOME.
FOREST LODGE.

CAPITAL CORNER POSITION, in a populous part, and enjoying a splendid view, close to University, and overlooking park, &c. The land has 33 feet to OLD PARRAMATTA-ROAD, by a good depth along FOREST-STREET. On it are the following substantially-built premises of brick on solid stone foundations, viz.:—
CORNER SHOP, having awning, good shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse,
DWELLING-HOUSE adjoining, having verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. The yards are all asphalted. This is a compact sound property in a good locality, worthy the inspection of all seeking a permanent investment. Always let, £119 12s per annum.
TERMS AT SALE. TORRENS' TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above excellent central property, FOREST LODGE, in thorough order and well built. (1523)

GEORGE-STREET WEST.

Block of LAND, 40 feet frontage to the south side of this GREAT THOROUGHFARE; depth 78 feet, extending to a lane; on it are erected Nos. 136 and 138, George-street West, of brick, tuckpointed fronts; No. 136 contains 2 apartments, No. 138 has 1 large apartment; weatherboard storeroom, shed, and racks for stacking timber at rear.
Leasehold, about 5 years to run; ground rent, £2 per week and taxes.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 21st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above city premises, on Blackfriars Estate. (1530)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

HOUSE, ARTHUR-STREET, ASHFIELD.

A really pleasant position—third house west of Queen-street and east of Holden-street. It is a detached neat dwelling of brick, slate roof, having verandah and balcony, hall, drawing and dining rooms (folding doors), pantry, kitchen, and washhouse, with 3 bedrooms and bathroom on first floor, Now occupied by Mr. Finlay.
Land, 32½ feet x 125 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, October 21, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Recommended for inspection. (1493)

CAPITAL TERRACE, SURRY HILLS.

GOODLET-STREET, CARRINGTON-TERRACE, 4 HOUSES, faithfully built of brick on stone foundations, iron roofs, each verandah, balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; rental, £156 per annum. There is vacant ground for other 3 houses to be erected. TITLE, LEASEHOLD, about 96 years to run, at £50 16s per annum for the whole; 88 feet frontage.
These are remarkably well built, never intended for sale, and are recommended as a well letting property in a convenient part, handy to city and trams, between DEVONSHIRE and CLEVELAND STREETS.
Total frontage, 88 feet, and 95 to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above capital terrace, Surry Hills.

PLEASANT POSITION, near ROOTY HILL.

About 75 ACRES of LAND, all enclosed with various forms of fencing. Part of it is cleared, portion is well improved, with stone fruit and apple trees, a few grape vines; also, dam, &c. A small COTTAGE provides a temporary abode.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The ABOVE, near ROOTY HILL, to be particularised in future advertisements. (1518)

ON THE GROUND.

ESTATE of the LATE ROBERT HAWORTH, Esq.

GRAND ESTATE near DAPTO, and Railway Station Site.

SPLENDID SITUATION and SOIL.

THAT HIGHLY-IMPROVED AND RENOWNED ESTATE, KEMBLA GRANGE, in area 487 ACRES 2 ROODS, on the Dapto-road, about six miles from the Town of Wollongong.

NINE FARMS, 40 ACRES to 100 ACRES EACH.
Also, 1-ACRE LOTS.
Subdivision at a proposed RAILWAY PLATFORM.

Also, KEMBLA STORES, opposite, with 7 acres.

Apart from the worth of the property as a letting concern, on which there have been tenants of long standing who have worked it most successfully, it must be viewed as a BEAUTIFUL ESTATE, enjoying one of the most picturesque situations in this CELEBRATED DISTRICT, noted for the STRIKING SCENERY which abounds therein. KEMBLA GRANGE does not suffer in this respect by any comparison. The advent of the railway into this pretty healthy district will materially serve to attract a number of our citizens to settle there, in which case values will largely enhance.

LITHOS. NOW OBTAINABLE.
AUCTION SALE.
WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER, on the GROUND, at 1 o'clock.
TERMS—25 per cent. deposit, balance one, two, and three years, at 6 per cent. interest.
LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

Messrs. JONES and JONES, Pitt-street, are Solicitors of the Estate.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH. Auctioneers.
(1384)

BOWRAL.
GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY LINE.

KURKULLA, a Brick COTTAGE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, in area 14 ACRES, fronting the main road to Mittagong, distant about one mile from Bowral railway station.
CASSELSY, a Weatherboard COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with Grounds, in area 10 ACRES
*** The above delightfully situated Country Residences are in the immediate neighbourhood of the highly improved properties of Sir F. Darley, — Holle, Esq., — Osborne, Esq., and others.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on the 28th of OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above country residences, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.
TERMS AT SALE. (1424)

CORNER of LIBERTY and LONDON STREETS.

Convenient to the NEWTOWN STATION, and a catch position leading from RAILWAY SUBWAY to various directions; and being an excellent spot for a SHOP. It is triangular in shape, lot — of BREILLAT'S ESTATE subdivision.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, October 28, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable business site, LIBERTY-STREET, ENMORE. (1524)

CAPITAL INVESTMENT.

ARGYLE-STREET and MILLER'S-ROAD, MILLER'S POINT.

The POST and TELEGRAPH OFFICE and two Shops and Dwellings adjoining, fronting ARGYLE-STREET; also Dwelling HOUSE in MILLER'S-ROAD. The whole are connected with the sewer.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above property, in a valuable front position, MILLER'S POINT, to be hereafter particularised. (1527)

VALUABLE SAWMILL PROPERTY AT PORT STEPHENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH are instructed by the MORTGAGEES to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 28th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
THE WELL-KNOWN ALICETON PROPERTY.
Consisting of 20 acres of freehold land, having a frontage of 15 chains to the Karuah River: TWO SAWMILLS, with machinery, manager's residence, workmen's houses, &c.
FULL PARTICULARS and inventory in a future advertisement. (1526)

BLACKWATTLE BAY, now fast coming to the FRONT FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND (suitable for many purposes), having 66 feet frontage to KENNEDY-STREET, with a depth of 240 feet on one side and 237 feet on the other, extending to and having a frontage to Waters of BLACKWATTLE BAY.

*** RECLAMATION RIGHT HAS BEEN GRANTED, this will give an additional area of 12½ perches.
This splendid freehold block adjoins Mr. A. Thornley's, and without a doubt will be of great value in a few years for business purposes.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 21st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1529)

ON THE GROUND.

SPLENDID SUBDIVISION near MOUNT DRUITT, on Western Railway Line, 27 miles from Sydney.

EASTBOROUGH ESTATE, comprising RESIDENCE SITES ORCHARD and VINEYARD BLOCKS, on remarkably easy payments.

The Estate is a famous Grant, and contains many beautiful undulating slopes, commanding magnificent views, overlooking Rope's Creek, the celebrated Chatsworth Nursery, &c., with a background of mountain scenery in all directions.
The SOIL is a RICH BLACK and RED DEPOSIT, with a good retentive subsoil, well adapted for the growth of all kinds of FARM, ORCHARD, and GARDEN PRODUCE.

There are 104 LOTS to choose from, the areas of which run from 5 acres up to 13 acres each; but buyers may secure any larger quantity they require up to 100 acres in a compact block. Seeing the exceptional character of the soil features and climate, coupled with the CONVENIENT DISTANCE OF CITY MARKET, the attention of all interested in securing a part of an undoubtedly good—almost suburban—estate (at country prices), is invited to this sale of EASTBOROUGH ESTATE, quite convenient to MOUNT DRUITT STATION.

LIBERAL ADVANCES to MAKE IMPROVEMENTS.
TERMS:
5 PER CENT. DEPOSIT.
14 monthly equal payments—no interest
36 ditto ditto—5 per cent. ditto
60 ditto ditto—6 per cent. ditto
84 ditto ditto—7 per cent. ditto,
with liberty to pay off at any earlier period.

FREE TRAIN on DAY of SALE.
Lithographs are now obtainable.
AUCTION SALE on the GROUND, SATURDAY, 29th OCTOBER.
(1525) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILL OF THE LATE FELIX WILSON, Esq.

TO BUILDERS, MECHANICS, RAILWAY EMPLOYEES, SPECULATORS, and CAPITALISTS.

THOSE EXTENSIVE and CONVENIENTLY-SITUATED PADDOCKS, known as THE PINES ESTATE, situated at MACDONALDTOWN and NEWTOWN, extending from WILSON-STREET to the SUBURBAN LINE, SUBURBAN LINE to the ILLAWARRA LINE, ILLAWARRA LINE to ERSKINEVILLE-ROAD, adjoining the NEW GOVERNMENT WORKSHOPS at EVELEIGH, and close to the ERSKINEVILLE and MACDONALDTOWN STATIONS, now being subdivided into BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, by Messrs. Pike and Owen, surveyors, Pitt-street.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, IN OCTOBER, due notice of which will be announced,
The above magnificent subdivision at Macdonaldtown and Newtown, full particulars of which will appear in a future issue.
*** PLAN and LITHOGRAPHS in course of preparation.
TERMS LIBERAL. (1368)

CHOICE SUBDIVISION, STRATHFIELD, of that pretty cleared Paddock, viewable from the station, on the hill, on north side of line, known as belonging to Sir Daniel Cooper, Bart.,
COMMANDING EXCELLENT VIEWS over a wide stretch of country, opposite the residences and ample grounds of Mosely Cohen, Esq., J.P., and John Williams, Esq., and embracing TWO VALUABLE CORNERS, and 27 CHOICE SITES, near the neat villas of Messrs. Bull, Cowdery, Nichols, and others, and fronting STREET LEADING TO STATION, COOPER-STREET (chain wide) and DRIVER'S-ROAD.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in 3 months without interest, and the balance at 1, 2, and 3 years' date, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

SALE ON THE GROUND on a day in October next, due notice of which will be announced.
LITHOS. PREPARING.
(1432.) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

BRIANT ESTATE, adjoining MARRICKVILLE RAILWAY STATION, every foot high building land is now being SUBDIVIDED INTO BUILDING LOTS, and will be sold on the ground, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, 5th NOVEMBER, 1887.
Frontages to Marrickville and Sydenham roads, also road along Railway Station.
Torrens' title. Easy terms. Lithos, ready.
(1433) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

By order of the Executor of the Estate late Mr. G. J. STAHL.

RIVERSTONE.
AN ADVANCING SUBURB.

204 ACRES, a capital VINEYARD BLOCK and DAIRY FARM, adjoining the CLIVE ESTATE, about 1 mile south of the Riverstone Railway Station, and now in the occupation of B. Richards, Esq.
About 60 acres are cleared, and were under cultivation. The other improvements consisted of slab cottage, press-house, cellar, stable, and fencing.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 18th November, at 11 o'clock,
The above large and valuable block, consisting of Ruse's 100-acre grant and Stahl's two grants, parish of St. Matthew, at Riverstone. Plan on view. (1447)

TO AGRICULTURISTS, DAIRY FARMERS, AND OTHERS

SUTTON FOREST.
THE OLDBURY ESTATE.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.

By Order of the ADMINSTRATRIX of the Estate of the late J. J. O. ATKINSON, Esq.

OLDBURY contains an area of about 2760 ACRES of rich agricultural and grazing land, and is situated within 3 miles of the MOSSVALE RAILWAY STATION by the Old Argyle-road nearly all the way.

Particulars of Title may be obtained from Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Co., of Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Solicitors for the Estate.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, early in the ensuing Spring, of which due notice will be given,
The above choice Estate, in one or more lots, of which early information will be published.
INTENDING PURCHASERS are invited to inspect the land, and on application to Mr. E. H. BADGERY, of SUTTON FOREST, every facility will be afforded them for doing so. Mr. Badgery is acting as local agent for the vendor in conjunction with the Auctioneers.
PLAN on view at the Rooms.
TERMS AT SALE. (1335)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MR. CUMMINS.

WOLLONGONG DISTRICT, the garden of the colony.

That well-known and beautifully-situated Property called WESLEY PARK, in area ONE HUNDRED ACRES of rich cabbage-tree flats and sloping hills, distant about 5 MILES FROM WOLLONGONG, near Mount Kembla, adjoining Berkely Estate, and close to the Wollongong-road.
*** This Choice Estate is cleared, the soil good, and the water supply never failing.
It is well adapted for subdivision into Orchard and Vineyard Blocks, or is a splendid spot for a Gentleman's Country Home, or Dairy Farm.
The position is elevated, thereby commanding uninterrupted views of the Ocean, Illawarra Lake, Tom Thumb Lagoon, &c.
It is expected that a Railway Station will be at Unanderra township—only 1½ mile off.
Coal and Shale have been found near this valuable Farm.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on an early date, due notice of which will be announced,
Wesley Park, near Wollongong, full particulars of which can be obtained on application at the Rooms of the Auctioneers; or from
Mr. JOHN BIGGAR, Auctioneer, Wollongong.
For particulars of title, apply to Messrs. ABBOTT and ALLEN, or Messrs. LAURENCE and RICH, Solicitors, Sydney. (1404)

FERNBANK, Marrickville Heights.—Sale, Saturday, Oct. 22, easy terms, assistance to build. Garrard & Hamilton.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

WAVERLEY LAND SALE.

That DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED CORNER BLOCK LAND, in area 2 acres, having extensive frontages to COOGEE BAY-ROAD and MACPHERSON-STREET,
Abutting on Clergy Daughters' School, opposite Lugar Brae, and only a few minutes' walk from Waverley tram terminus.
This elevated and choice block, FENCED and PLANTED with PINE TREES, is now in course of SUBDIVISION INTO BUILDING SITES, and will be sold on SATURDAY, 5th NOVEMBER, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock.
EASY TERMS. LITHOS. PREPARING.
Vendors, the Trustees of St. Mary's Church, Waverley.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH (1401)

AUBURN GROVE.

Since the First Sale of this Estate, in December, 1885, no fewer than 30 additional trains to and from Auburn have been found necessary, the actual number now being 44 trains daily, with 14 extra trains on Saturdays; while the town itself can boast of a State School superior to any for the age of the place, its new Railway Station, Churches, and many other extensive buildings, thus clearly showing the rapidity with which the suburb is going ahead. It is plain enough from the way in which the suburbs are already connected, that ere long the country between Sydney and Parramatta must be ONE GIGANTIC CITY.
Therefore, money invested in the purchase of Allotments at AUBURN GROVE TO-DAY is sure to give a splendid return for the outlay.
Free train tickets on personal application only.
WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers, 313, Pitt-street.

'ORTGAGEES' SALES.
NEXT TUESDAY.
OCTOBER 11, 1887.

WATKIN and WATKIN will offer by auction, at their Rooms, 313, Pitt-street, between Park and Bathurst streets, on TUESDAY NEXT, October 11, at 11.30 a.m., the undermentioned Properties, unless previously redeemed.

MACDONALDTOWN. Toogood-street, Belgravia Cottages.	Two semi-detached W. B. COTTAGES, iron roof, each containing front room 13ft. 2in. x 11ft. 6in., dining-room 11ft. 4in. x 7ft. 7in., bedroom 12ft. x 11ft. 7in., kitchen, washhouse, verandahs in front, side entrances, city water; on land having a frontage of 30ft. to Toogood-street, by a depth of 89ft. Title, freehold.
ST. PETERS, Edith-street, Ferndale Cottages	A pretty detached Brick VILLA, slate roof, containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, verandahs back and front, stable and coachhouse, underground tank, garden in front; the land has a frontage of 75 feet to Edith-street, by a depth of 175ft. Title, freehold.
CROYDON, Queen-street, between Lang and Richmond streets, Linden Cottage.	A W.B. Cottage, iron roof, containing half-hall, 4 rooms, verandah in front, on land 40ft. to Queen-street, by a depth of 110ft. Title, freehold.
BOTANY, Hancock's Garden, corner of King and William streets.	Two semi-detached COTTAGES, built of brick, iron roofs, and each containing hall, 2 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, with copper, side entrances, galvanised iron and underground tanks, on Land having a frontage of 62ft. to King-street, by a depth of 118ft. along William-street. Freehold title.
BALMAIN, Elizabeth-street and Charlotte-street.	A vacant allotment of LAND, having a frontage of 54ft. to Elizabeth-street by a depth through to Charlotte-street of 90ft. Freehold title.
PARRAMATTA. Westmead Estate.	Lot 27, of sec. 1, having a frontage of 66ft. to the Government road, by a depth of 178ft. Title, freehold
CANLEY VALE.	Block of Land, having a frontage of 48ft. to Lombard-street, and 48ft. to Rosina-street by a through depth of 240ft., and being lots 11 and 12, 77 and 78, of sec. 7, as per deposited plan No. 431, volume 666, and folio 137.

PEARCE'S CORNER TOWNSHIP.
GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.

11 MILES from St. LEONARDS. NEARER to SYDNEY than is PARRAMATTA.

The only Natural Site for a Township in the District. For Auction Sale, on the Ground, NEXT SATURDAY, October 15, at 3 o'clock. Terms: £5 per lot deposit, balance by easy Monthly Payments.
Vendors: THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT CO., Limited.
WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers.
Special Tram. Free Tickets.

GRAND CITY PROPERTY.
THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER.
GEORGE-STREET THROUGH TO KENT-STREET, SYDNEY.
THE GOLDEN GATE HOTEL and THE GLOBE FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.
GRAND BLOCK OF PROPERTY RUNNING RIGHT THROUGH FROM GEORGE-STREET TO KENT-STREET.
PRODUCING FROM GOOD TENANTS £1224 PER ANNUM FREE OF ALL OUTGOINGS.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the proprietor to sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th October, at half-past 11 o'clock, the above FIRST-CLASS CITY FREEHOLD, having 32 feet frontage to the west side of George-street, about 260 feet in depth, and 38 feet frontage to Kent-street.

THE TENANCIES are the HOTEL 10 years lease, and the FURNITURE WAREHOUSE about 5 years lease; so that there is no fear of any falling off in the rental receipts £1224 PER ANNUM NET.

It is seldom such a choice property giving a certain fixed return, and where it must increase in value comes into the market, and where investors can obtain at least 60 per cent. over the highest bank rate for deposit, will be the safest security in the world.
For particulars of title apply Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN, Solicitors.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. TERMS EASY.

GOSFORD, PARISH OF EGLINGTON, COUNTY of NORTHUMBERLAND, SUBDIVISION BLOCK of 843 ACRES, FRONTING the MAIN ROAD and WYONG CREEK, convenient to the Railway Station.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 20th, at 11.30 o'clock,
A GRAND SUBDIVISION of 843 ACRES, being Hill's grant, in the parish of Eglington, county of Northumberland, having extensive frontages to the main road and Wyong Creek.

TITLE FREEHOLD.

AUBURN TOWNSHIP, close to Vale's Works and the Railway Station.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20.
THREE CHOICE BUILDING SITES. Lot 1, having 107 feet frontage to Queen-street and 131 feet to Alfred-street. Lots 2 and 3 have each 50 feet frontage to Alfred-street by a depth of 82½ feet. Title, Freehold.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th October, at 11.30,
The above allotments.

NEWTOWN AND ENMORE.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20.

NEWTOWN—No. 39, GOWRIE-STREET. Land, 15 x 95, with 20 feet lane at rear
A WELL-BUILT BRICK HOUSE, of 5 rooms and washhouse, water laid on; now let at 15s per week. Freehold Title.
ENMORE—No. 5, SLOANE-STREET, on land 13½ x 105; passage at rear
A TERRACE HOUSE, built of brick on stone, containing 5 rooms; now let at 11s per week. Torrens' Title.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th October, at 11.30, the above TWO PROPERTIES.

CLOSE TO TRAM AND RAILWAY.
BURWOOD. TENNYSON-PARADE. CHOICE VILLA RESIDENCE.
BURWOOD.—CHELTENHAM-ROAD. COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20.
THE EQUITY OF REDEMPTION.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 20, at 11.30 o'clock,
The EQUITY of REDEMPTION in and to the below-described properties, either together or separately:—
TENNYSON-PARADE.—Villa Residence, built of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, containing hall, front room 17 x 14, sitting-room 16 x 15, 4 large bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, storeroom, pantry, bathroom, linen closet, 2-stall stable with loft over, coachhouse, harness-room, fowl-houses, &c., on land having 100ft. frontage by a depth of 300ft., with a street at the rear; at present mortgaged for £1250.
CHELTENHAM-ROAD.—Comfortable Cottage Residence, built of brick on stone foundations, slate roof, containing hall, 5 rooms, and kitchen, on land having a frontage of 66ft. to CHELTENHAM-ROAD, by a depth of 206ft.; at present mortgaged for £750.
Cards to view from the auctioneers.
Titles Freehold.

DARLINGTON—ROSE-STREET.
THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER.

TWO GOOD BRICK HOUSES, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, city water, gas, and connected with the sewers, on land 30 feet frontage to Rose-street, by a depth of 91 feet; close to the city boundary.
Freehold title. Terms, £300 to remain for 3½ years, at 7 per cent.; balance in cash.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th October, at 11.30, the above GOOD INVESTMENT PROPERTY.

SYDENHAM-ROAD, MARRICKVILLE.
THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER.

CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENT, having 109 feet frontage to the Sydenham-road, and 150 feet Neville-street, CORNER BLOCK, freehold title. Terms, half cash, balance can remain for 1 and 2 years, at 6 per cent. interest.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th October, at 11.30.

A CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENT.
SUMMER HILL. PROSPECT-ROAD.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20th.
FAMILY RESIDENCE and LAND, 139ft. frontage, 138ft. deep, SURROUNDED by FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES, CONVENIENT TO STATION.
SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, by order of the mortgagee, in the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th October, at 11.30 o'clock,
An exceptionally well-built residence, of brick on stone, slate roof, having porch, tiled verandah, balcony, hall, 6 rooms, pantry, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, man's room, stables and buggy-house of wood. Frontage to PROSPECT-ROAD, near Junction-road, and surrounded by first-class properties.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.
VENDOR'S SOLICITORS: Messrs. Norton and Co., 2, O'Connell-street.

ULTIMO, HARRIS-STREET.
THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER.
GRAND CITY INVESTMENT, known as REID'S BUILDINGS.
4 SHOPS and DWELLINGS and 2 STORES. Nos. 610, 610A, 612, 612A, OPPOSITE ULTIMO HOUSE.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 40 years to run, at £30 per annum. PRODUCING AN ANNUAL RENTAL of £557 10s.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER, at 11.30 o'clock,
FOUR SHOPS and Dwellings and workshops, built of brick on stone, each with basement, workshop, and kitchen; shop and sitting-room and 2 rooms on first floor, with 2 wood and iron stores at the rear.
The property is close to GEORGE-STREET WEST, the RAILWAY STATION, and a very busy and populous part of the city, and forms altogether one of the best INVESTMENTS IN THE MARKET.
Cards to view at the Rooms.

DURAL. CLEARANCE SALE.
THURSDAY, 20th OCTOBER.
GRAND ORCHARD and FARM SITES, containing from 20 to 35 Acres Each.
ON THE MAIN ROAD FROM PARRAMATTA.
In the Centre of the Orange-growing Districts.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 20, at 11.30 o'clock,
A clearance sale of orchard and villa sites, containing from 20 to 35 acres each, fronting the main road from Parramatta to Wiseman's Ferry.
Terms: 15 per cent. deposit, and the balance on completion of conveyance, or 15 per cent. deposit and the balance within 3 years, at 6 per cent.
TITLE, FREEHOLD. PLAN at the ROOMS.

AUBURN, GASCOIGNE'S ESTATE.
SATURDAY, 22nd OCTOBER.
SALE ON THE GROUND.
5-ACRE and 2½-ACRE BLOCKS.
Upset price, £35 per acre. 10 per cent. deposit, balance 3 years.
TITLE, TORRENS'.
Free conveyances to the ground. Send for litho.
PRELIMINARY.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 130, Pitt-street.

CROWN LAND SALE.
BEROWRA.
TOWN LOTS, VINEYARD, and ORCHARD BLOCKS, POULTRY FARMS and ORANGERIES.
SALE on the GROUND, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5. Special Train on Day of SALE.
41 TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS, in area up to half an acre each.
94 SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS, from two acres to 15 acres each.
PRELIMINARY.

MILLS and PILE have been favoured with instructions from the Hon. the Minister for Lands to sell by public auction, on the Ground, BEROWRA, on the HAWKESBURY RIVER RAILWAY LINE, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 5th NOVEMBER, at a quarter past 3 o'clock, 41 NEW TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS, having frontages of 66ft. to 165ft. frontages to chain-wide roads at the Berowra Railway Station, and 94 SUBURBAN BLOCKS, suitable for VILLA SITES, ORCHARDS, and POULTRY FARMS, on the NEW GOVERNMENT TERMS, viz.: 25 per cent deposit, balance in 1, 2, and 3 years, at 5 per cent. interest.
Plans and Gazettes of upset prices will be ready in a few days.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street.

PARISH OF NARRABEEN.
BLOCK of 889 ACRES, M. C. P., WITH ALL CONDITIONS FULFILLED, known as the property of the AUSTRALIAN POWDER AND EXPLOSIVE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, together with all Buildings, Plant, &c., thereon,
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
A GRAND CHANCE FOR SPECULATORS.
PRELIMINARY.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by auction, in the Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, December 8, at 11.30 o'clock.
A MINERAL CONDITIONAL PURCHASE, consisting of 889 acres, with all conditions carried out to the satisfaction of the Government.
TERMS AT SALE.

SPECIAL NOTICE OF SALE.
To Retail Drapers, Country Storekeepers, and Commission Buyers.
Now landing for Absolute Unreserved Sale 22 Cases ex Cairnbulg, consisting of 350 Lots SPECIAL INDENT FOR THE SPRING TRADE in
MANCHESTER and LINEN GOODS
DRESS and FANCY GOODS
HOSIERY, MERCERY, and LACE GOODS
UNDERCLOTHING and STRAW GOODS, &c., &c.
To be sold at the risk of the Importer to recover advances.

KELLETT and ALFORD invite the early and prompt attention of the trade to this choice shipment of NEW GOODS, to be sold WITHOUT RESERVE, by auction, at their Rooms, 14, Barrack-street, next TUESDAY, at 11 sharp.
Full particulars in Herald on Monday.

WEDNESDAY, October 12, at 11 o'clock.
IMPORTANT TO WAREHOUSEMEN and THE TRADE.
New and Seasonable Drapery. Just landed, ex M.M.S.S. OCEANIEN.

Fancy Prints, Printed Sateens
Soudan Cloths, Galateas
Men's White Shirts, Harvard Flannelette, and Flannel Under Shirts
Girls' Hose, sizes 1 to 6, Navy Seal, and Black, Plain, and Ribbed
Ladies' Plain and Fancy Striped Hose
Men's Brown Cotton Half-hose
Men's Merino Half-hose, very superior
Child's Socks
Holland Aprons, Pinafores, Blouses
Diaper Pinafores
Print, Muslin, and Oatmeal Aprons and Pinafores
Pelisses, Costumes, Underclothing
Millinery, Black and Coloured Cashmeres
Broche Cashmerine
Black and Coloured Silks, Satin
Spot Tussores, Turkey Twills, Cretonne Sets
Jersey and Kid Gloves
Men's and Boys' Clothing, Shirts, Hats, and Mercery
Manchester and Linen Goods, Haberdashery.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
Terms liberal, at Sale.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, October 12, at 11 o'clock,
The above new shipment.

TO DRAPERS, STOREKEEPERS, and Others.
O'BRIEN BROS. will sell by auction, on the premises, corner of Elswick and Marion streets, Leichhardt, on MONDAY and TUESDAY next, October 10 and 11, commencing each day at 11 a.m.,
The whole of the extensive and well-assorted stock of drapery, clothing, millinery, mercery, stationery, patent medicines, fancy goods, &c., &c. Also, the whole of the fixtures, fittings, glass cases, counters, &c., &c., of these large stores. No reserve whatever.
O'BRIEN BROS., Auctioneers, 92, Elizabeth-street, Sydney; and at Elswick-street, Leichhardt.

ELECTRIC BELTS (Pulvermacher's), for Rheumatism, Gout, &c. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 587, George-st.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

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Auction Sales.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 10th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Recent Arrivals.

BOOTS and SHOES,

ALL NEW and SEASONABLE GOODS.

GIRLS' and WOMEN'S BOOTS, E.S., in mock kid, levant, satinette, and mock glove kid
Children's PATENT E.S. BOOTS
Ditto Kid E.S. BOOTS
Ditto Kid Tie and Strap BOOTS
Ditto Kid Patent Tie and Strap BOOTS
CHILDREN'S and WOMEN'S LEVANT BOOTS
Ladies' House BOOTS
Men's Kid E.S. BOOTS
Ditto Button Goloshed ditto
Ditto Kid Lace Calf Goloshed
Ditto Cloth Top, Enamelled and Goloshed
Ditto Glove Kid, E. S.
Ditto Glove Kid Oxford and Derby Shoes
LADIES' LASTING E. S., seam to toe
Ditto ditto, with low heels
Ditto ditto, with patent toecaps
Ditto VAMP BUTTON BOOTS
Ditto ditto Mock Glove LACE BOOTS
Ditto BOOTS, mock glace E.S., seam to toe
Ditto DERBY SHOES, mock glove and mock glace
Ditto OXFORD SHOES, ditto
WOMEN'S GLACE E.S. SHOES, mock lace
Ditto Levant Vamps, mock buttons
Ditto GLACE BUTTON BOOTS
Ditto FRENCH KID E.S. BOOTS.

To Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, Dealers, Shippers, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY next, 10th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 10th OCTOCER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

10 CASES FANCY GOODS, &c.,
comprising—
Leather Cash Boxes, Albums, Dog Leads, Writing Desks, Card Cases, Leather Wallets, Tracing Paper, Indian Ink, Automatic Pencils, Memorial, Menu, and Ball Programme Cards, Letter Files, Cosmos Frames, Wax Paper, Croquet and Tennis Rackets, &c., &c.

To Fancy Repositories, Stationers, Shippers, and Dealers.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY next, 10th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 10th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
OIL PAINTINGS, WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS,
ENGRAVINGS, &c., &c.,
embracing

OIL PAINTINGS of great merit, by leading artists—Land and Sea Scapes, Figure Subjects, &c.
CHOICE WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS—Views in and around England, N. S. W. Scenery, &c.
FINELY-FINISHED PHOTOS, hand-painted in oils
SPLENDID LINE ENGRAVINGS and ETCHINGS—copies of the most celebrated pictures by Landseer, &c.
ARTISTS' PROOFS of Historical and General subjects
&c., &c., &c.

To Picture Buyers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Connoisseurs, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are instructed to sell as above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY next, 10th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

8500 BAGS and POCKETS QUEENSLAND and COLONIAL SUGARS.

(Whites, Yellows, and Browns.)

To Merchants, Wholesale Grocers, Confectioners, Shippers, Country Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

50 Cases WORCESTER SAUCE
50 ditto TOMATO SAUCE
500 Boxes APOLLO SCHIEDAM CANDLES
100 Ditto YELLOW SOAP
30 Cases MUSTARDS
20 ditto COCOA
50 ditto BOTTLED FRUITS
5 ditto CALVES' FOOT JELLY
50 ditto PICKLES
10 ditto RASPBERRY BALM
10 ditto RASPBERRY VINEGAR
50 ditto LIME JUICE CORDIAL
25 ditto ENGLISH CONFECTIONERY
5 ditto COFFEE EXTRACT
5 ditto COFFEE and CHICORY
10 ditto MACCARONI and VERMICELLI
1 Ton BARCELONA NUTS
1 ditto BRAZIL NUTS
10 Cases INSECTICIDE
10 ditto BAKING POWDERS
10 quarter-casks Erard and Co.'s BRANDY
500 Cases Eugene de Lange BRANDY, 1 and 3 star
500 ditto Meeus' KEY GENEVA
25 quarter-casks PORTS and SHERRIES
100 Cases HOP BITTERS
100 Ditto Flensberg pint LAGER BEERS
5 ditto "Over the Water" TOBACCO, each 6 boxes.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Provedores, Tobacconists, Shippers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

SALE BY AUCTION
of
ENGLISH and COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c.,
including—
KITCHEN TABLES and DRESSERS, CEDAR and PINE MEAT SAFES, &c.
PEDESTAL WRITING-TABLES, in cedar, oak, and mahogany
COAL VASES, with scoops, brass-mounted
Butlers' Trays and Stands, Brackets
POLISHED BEDROOM SUITES, in ash, walnut, &c., comprising Wardrobe, Pair Toilets, Chairs, Towel-rail, and Pedestal Cupboard complete
CEDAR WARDROBES, double and single, with break fronts, &c.
PAIRS of TOILETS, in ash, walnut, &c.—Duchess, square-shaped, &c.
Marble-top Washstands, Towel Rails, Commodes
Bedroom Chairs, cane-seated
Mirrors and Overmantels, in black and gold, walnut, &c., &c.
DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in walnut, upholstered in figured velvet, silk, repp, silk and plush, &c.
CABINETS, in walnut and ebonite, with bevelled mirrors, &c.
Walnut Occasional, Loo, Sutherland, and Card Tables, Work Tables
Ebonised and Walnut Occasional Chairs
WALNUT INLAID CHIFFONIERS, with marble tops
Carpet Croquet and Folding Chairs
SQUARE and ROUND WHATNOTS, Octagon Centre Tables
Gipsy Tables, Footstools, Music Canterburies
CARVED DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in morocco
CEDAR DINING-TABLES, with spare leaves, &c.
Balustrade-top BOOKCASES, in polished cedar, with plate-glass doors, enclosed cupboards, &c.
Hat and Umbrella Stands, in oak, walnut, and mahogany.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers generally.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to arrange the above CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next, 11th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex CAIRNBULG, from London.

95 PACKAGES CROCKERY and GLASSWARE,
comprising
DINNER WARE, White Granite, Blue and Pink Line
TOILET SETS, White Granite, Band and Line, Printed
Ewers and Basins, ditto ditto
TOILET SETS, White and Gold, Ivory and Gold
Cups and Saucers—White and Gold, Blue Figured
Bowls, Mugs, Jugs
Glass Butters and Sugars
WINES, Sherry, Port, Champagne, Ruby and Green Hocks
Water Bottles and Ups, Tumblers, Salts
Glass Dishes, Comports, &c., &c.

To Glass and China Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Merchants, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

ELECTRIC BELTS (Pulvermacher's), for Nervous Complaints, &c. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 467, George-st.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Administratrix in the Estate of the late S. Furness.

On the PREMISES,
176, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

The STOCK-IN-TRADE of a
PLUMBER AND GASFITTER,
comprising
TWO and THREE LIGHT GASALIERS, with weights, &c., complete
Brackets, Crystal and Opal Tinted Globes
ASBESTOS, Lead, Tin and Iron Pipe, Copper Cylinder
Galvanised Hooks and Screws, Lead Traps, Brass Taps
NIPPLE UNIONS, T. and S. Unions, Caps and Lining
Trap Screws, Cistern Valves, Main, Gas, and Stop Cocks
Iron Flanges, Lead Washers, Sheet and Block Tin, Gas Stoves
AVERY'S SCALES and WEIGHTS, weighs up to 5cwt.
Black and Galvanised Tees, Sockets, Elbows, Bends, Crosses, &c.
SHEET ZINC, Plain Galvanised Iron, 24 and 26 gauge
GALVANISED CORRUGATED IRON, 26 gauge, 6ft. to 10ft.
SHEET LEAD, 3lb. to 6lb.; Cast-iron Down Pipe
Drain Pipe, Galvanised W. C. Cisterns, Baths
Ventilators, Showers, Rain-water Heads
CURVING MACHINE, Forge
Chatworth SCREWING MACHINE, from ¼in. to 2in.
Crampton DRILLING MACHINE, Groover; Rolling Folder
BURRING MACHINE, Punching Machine, Lathe
Blacksmith's and Pipe Vices, Ratchet Braces
Patent Stocks, Solid Dies, Benches, &c.
Office Table, EDISON-BELL TELEPHONE
BAY HORSE, Cart
&c., &c., &c.

To Plumbers, Gasfitters, Ironmongers, Tinsmiths, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the ADMINISTRATRIX in the ESTATE of the late S. FURNESS, to sell BY AUCTION, on the Premises, 176, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
The WHOLE of the STOCK-IN-TRADE, as above.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Pathan, from Hongkong.

115 PACKAGES CANE FURNITURE,
comprising
Rattan and Ladies' Lounges, Rattan Couches
Long Arm Chairs, Bedroom, Arm, and Fancy Chairs
Rocking and Loblove Chairs, Rattan Beds, &c.
Also,
21 PACKAGES CHINESE BLINDS,
sizes 6 x 8, 8 x 8, 10 x 8, 12 x 8.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY Next, 12th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

OPEN AND DISPLAYED SALE BY AUCTION
of
HIGH-CLASS BEDSTEADS
in
POLISHED BRASS,
NICKEL-PLATED and ENAMELLED COLOURS,
comprising
HAND-POLISHED HALF-TESTERS, of splendid designs, in BRASS, with 2-inch parallel posts, in various sizes, ranging from 6.6 x 5.9 to 6.6 x 3.6
SPLENDID NICKEL-MOUNTED HALF-TESTERS, extra strength, sizes 6.6 x 5.0, 6.6. x 4.6, 6.6 x 3.6
HIGHLY ORNAMENTAL FOUR-POST TUBULAR BEDSTEADS, with extended footrails and long stretchers
Ditto, ditto, Embellished Gold and Floral Designs
Enamelled Black, Mauve, Maroon, Chocolate, and other colours, H. T. and F. P. Bedsteads
Ditto, with 2-inch Taper Pillars, special quality, in Black and Gold
FOUR-POST ARTISTIC STATE BEDSTEADS, with brass head and foot rails, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Bedstead Manufacturers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to arrange the above IMPORTANT SELECTION of BEDSTEADS for OPEN and DISPLAYED SALE by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

On View Morning of Sale.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex S.S. LIGURIA, from London.

12 CASES OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c.,
comprising
HARDWOOD OVERMANTELS, with bevelled plates, side shelves, &c.
GILT MIRRORS, with raised ornaments
BLACK and GOLD OVERMANTELS, with enrichments
Rosewood, Walnut, Black and Gold CHIMNEY GLASSES
&c., &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 12th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 13th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
under Instructions from the Importers.

5 Cases MOSELY'S TABLE CUTLERY.

To Ironmongers, Cutlers, Dealers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 13th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 13th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
under Instructions from the Importers.

16 dozen NAVVY SHOVELS
10 ditto HAY FORKS
6 tons HORSESHOE NAILS
100 dozen COAL PICK HANDLES
100 ditto Washoe's RAILROAD PICKS
22 Limbert's Patent PULLEY BLOCKS
120 Bradley's FORGE BACKS
180 dozen Square AXE HANDLES
7 cases Octagon STEEL
1 ditto HAMMER HEADS
3000 FANCY TILES, assorted
100 dozen Assorted BUCKETS
50 feet I.R. HOSE, A.F.
250 BUGGY SPOKES, A.F.
50 BUGGY POLES, A.F.
6 casks BUILDERS' IRONMONGERY.

To Ironmongers, Railway Contractors, Builders, Coach Builders, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 13th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 13th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Trafalgar, from London.

33 Cases IRON BEDSTEADS, &c.
comprising—

FOUR-POST, 1-inch, 6-6 x 2-6; ditto 6-6 x 3, 6-6 x 4-6
PILLAR and TUBULAR FOUR-POST, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, ornamental and gilt, with L. S. bar and extended footrail
HALF-TESTER TUBULARS, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, extending foot-rail, L. S. bar
Ditto, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, not extended
HALF-TESTERS, ornamental, ⅞-inch, 6-6 x 3
Ditto, ⅞-inch, 6-6 x 2-6, 6-6 x 3, assorted colours
Ditto, ⅞-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, L. S. bar
Ditto, 1-inch, 6-6 x 3, 6-6 x 4-6, L. S. bar
Ditto, 1-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, ditto L. S. bar
FRENCH BEDSTEADS, 6-6 x 4-6
COTS, four-post and half-tester, 4 x 2, 4-6 x 2-6, 5 x 3
Stump, 6-6 x 2-, 6-6 x 3, 6-6 x 4, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Bedstead Manufacturers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Commission Agents, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 13th October, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THURSDAY, 13th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

SALE BY AUCTION
of
24 AMERICAN BUGGIES, WAGGONS, &c.,
comprising—
JUMP-SEAT TOP BUGGY
AMERICAN EXPRESS WAGGONS, with pole and shafts
WAGGONETTES, fitted complete
FARMERS' WAGGONS, four springs, with brakes
WEBSTER CARTS, open and with top
SINGLE BUGGIES, open and with top
BRACKET-FRONT TOP BUGGY, without brake
DITTO OPEN BUGGY, without brake
PIANO-BODY TOP BUGGY, with shafts
ICE CREAM CARTS.

To Coachbuilders, Private Gentlemen, Carriage Proprietors, Caterers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 13th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
ELEGANT PIANOFORTES
in
WALNUT, BLACK and GOLD,
and
EBONITE.

Ex recent arrivals.

SUPERIOR PIANOFORTES in WALNUT and EBONY, by the old-established firm of Rudolph Ibach Sohn, all full trichord, cottage, 7 octaves, A to A
WALNUT COTTAGE PIANOFORTES, by Mentzil
WALNUT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTES, by Strauss
EBONY and GOLD ditto, by Erard, of London
VERY FINE ITALIAN WALNUT COTTAGE PIANOFORTES, overstrung, 7 octaves, extra strong iron-framed, by J. Gerstenberger of Liegnitz
MAGNIFICENT EBONITE and GOLD PIANOFORTES, overstrung, specially made to withstand the Australian climate, on the Lipp model, by G. Simon, Stuttgart
ELEGANT PIANOFORTES, in WALNUT, BLACK and GOLD, &c., by Stolle, of Dresden, embracing all the latest improvements
WALNUT PIANOS, trichord oblique, by Franke, Leipzig, in iron-bound frame, and with check repeater action
Second-hand PIANOS by Erard, Bord, &c.

Also,
A Choice Assortment
of
MUSIC STOOLS,
covered in morocco and velvet.

To Musical Instrument Vendors, Pianoforte Manufacturers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY NEXT, 14th October, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY,
26th and 27th OCTOBER,
commencing at 11 o'clock a.m. each day.

ELEGANT and SPECIALLY ATTRACTIVE
SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from
S. DAVIS, Esq.
(In consequence of his early departure for Europe),
at his Residence,
121, VICTORIA-STREET, DARLINGHURST.

The WHOLE of his
MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
modern in style and luxurious in character,
comprising
Beautiful DRAWING, DINING, and BED ROOM SUITES, in the finest polished SOLID WOODS
Exquisite Table Appointments
Massive Sterling Silver Plate
CHOICE COLLECTION of PAINTINGS, WATER COLOURS, &c.
SUPERB and COSTLY EXAMPLES of CERAMIC WARE
OBJETS D'ART, ARTICLES of VERTU
REGAL COLLECTION of PERSONAL JEWELLERY
HOUSE and TABLE LINEN
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Collectionists, Virtuosi, Lovers of the Fine Arts, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from S. DAVIS, Esq., to arrange for SALE BY AUCTION, at his RESIDENCE, 121, VICTORIA-STREET, DARLINGHURST, on
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 26th and 27th OCTOBER,
commencing each day at 11 o'clock a.m.,
the WHOLE of his
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS
AS ABOVE.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

Full particulars will appear in future issues.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

IMPORTANT TRADE SALE BY AUCTION,
Under instructions from the Importers.

Ex ST. CUTHBERT, from London.

75 PACKAGES GENERAL IRONMONGERY AND BRASS FOUNDRY,
comprising
TINNED PLATES, SARDINE-OPENERS, LANTERNS, MOUSE TRAPS
Buffalo Furniture, Machine Oilers, Curtain Lamps
TRAYS, FINGER PLATES, MAGAZINE and DETECTOR LOCKS
Trunk, Pedestal, Bag, Chest, and Bramah Locks
DESK, TILL, RIM, CART, and PAD LOCKS
DRAWBACK, and DEADLOCKS, Fancy Nails
Hatch, Pulpit, Night, and Combination Latches
STOVE, SCREWS, FRYPANS, TEA and COFFEE POTS
Putty, Pallet, and Painter's Knives
VICES, CHISELS, GIMLETS, HAMMERS
Hammer Heads, H Hinges, Onion Hoes
ROWLOCKS, AXES, HATCHETS, POKERS
AUGERS, CONNECTING LINKS, Buckles, Rim Spindles
Picture Rod Ends, Scale Beams, Candlesticks
HORSE BRUSHES, POWDER FLASKS, SHOT POUCHES
Match Boxes, Whist Markers, Salt Cellars
CEILING ROSES, SCREW RINGS and HOOKS, HAME TOPS
MIRROR PLATES, Cabin Hooks, Sash Screws and Fasteners
ESCUTCHEONS, BUTTS, STAIR EYES, Plate Rings
CASTORS, CUPBOARD TURNS, Lamp Screws, Brackets
COMMODE KNOBS, SIDE PULLEYS, BUTTONS
Drawer Handles, Rack Pulleys, Sash Knobs
C. P. RINGS, SASH LIFTS, COFFIN HANDLES, BRASS BOLTS
FLUSH BOLTS, Blind Furniture, Pulpit Latches, Ventilators
Tassel Hooks, Side and End Bell Carriages
Shutter Lifts, Pivot Castors, Casement Stays
TABLE PINS, BELL CRANKS, SLEIGH BELLS
Picture Nails, Weight Chain, Hat and Coat Hooks
LEATHER BELTS, CRUPPERS, STIRRUP LEATHERS
HEADS and REINS, MARTINGALES
Nutcrackers, E.P. Butters, Napkin Rings
LADLE BOWLS, SAUCERS, BASINS, IRON WEIGHTS, in sets
PATTY PANS, MOULDS, I.R. TUBING, SPITTOONS
Coal Vases, Staples, Plumb Bobs, Shoeheels
TOWER and BARREL BOLTS, FLUSH BOLTS, Gimp Pins
SOFA SPRINGS, CORNICE RINGS, MEDIÆVAL HANDLES
Rabbit and Rat Traps
SHAFT TIPS, LETTER PLATES, CORNER CLIPS, DESK BUTTONS
Wardrobe Hooks, Caddy Feet, Bevel Screws
BELL LEVER Knobs and Roses, Name Plates
BELL PULLS, BRASS BOLTS, CASEMENT FASTENERS
Castor Rings, Venetian Hooks, Beer Taps
BEER and SPIRIT COCKS, BOTTLE and SAW SCREWS
Lamp Feeders, Syringes, Range Cocks, Steam Valves
GAS COCKS, BOTTLING TAPS, PARAFFINE BURNERS
WOOD and IRON SCREWS, Blind Brackets
HORSE BRUSHES, GAS HOOKS, TINNED MEAT HOOKS
Spring and Swivel Hooks, Hasps and Staples
Self Colour and Dog Chains, Screws and Nuts
BACKFLAPS, CHAIR NAILS, CHAIR CASTORS, TACKS
KNOCKERS, Mortice Furniture, Harness Hooks
Gun Wads, Jets and Spreaders, Clamps and Rivets
Currycombs, Chisel Handles, Sailors' and Pen Knives
&c., &c., &c.

To Hardware Firms, Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Saddlers, Brush Manufacturers, Upholsterers, Furniture Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to hold the above IMPORTANT TRADE SALE by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on an early date, of which due notice will be given.

SPECIAL CATALOGUES are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the Rooms.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF DISTILLERIES.

THURSDAY, October 13, 1887,
at 3 o'clock.

At the
NEWTOWN POLICE COURT.

140 Proof Gallons SPIRITS
27 CASKS (Quarters and Hogsheads)
10 KEGS, assorted
12 Mats SUGAR
Large Quantity COPPER
2 Sets SCALES and WEIGHTS
WASHING COPPER
TUBING, BUCKETS, FUNNELS, &c.
Capital Stanch Bay MARE.

T. PHILLIPS will sell the above by public auction, on behalf of the Government, at the Newtown Police Court, on THURSDAY, October 13, at 3 o'clock.

AUCTION OFFICES: 50, ENMORE-ROAD, NEWTOWN.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 13th and 14th October.

RAILWAY CONTRACTOR'S PLANT.

DULHUNTY and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Main Camp and Railway Station, QUEANBEYAN, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 13th and 14th October, commencing at 11 o'clock each day.
Messrs. Johnston and Co.'s contractors' plant, including
30 tip carts
40 heavy draught horses
8 wharf drays
40 dobbins
1 6-h.p. portable engine, with hoisting gear
1 6-h.p. donkey boiler and pump
1 8-h.p. portable engine
1 adzing-machine
40 dozen picks and shovels
10 blacksmith's bellows
4 portable forges
4 pile engines, complete
100 crowbars and sundries.

The above are only a few of the lots that will be submitted, as the articles are so numerous it is impossible to particularise them in an advertisement.

Catalogues will be ready previous to sale.

ESTATE OF PHILIP R. HOLDSWORTH, of Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

TUESDAY, October 18th, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, Rookwood, near Station.
Under instructions from the Official Assignee.
Superior Household Furniture and Effects.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, without reserve.
Terms, cash.
Full particulars in future issue.

THIS DAY, ST. PETERS LAND SALE, on the Ground, at 3.30, the Pick of the district. Main road frontages only. Shop and Business Sites within the reach of all. No reserve. Terms, 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months, balance extending over 2 years.
BOYD and KING, Auctioneers.

THIS AFTERNOON.—Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets. Garrard & Hamilton.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10,
at Dibbs' Wharf Stores, at 11 o'clock.

IN BOND.

500 CASKS GRANULATED WHITE SUGAR.

With all Faults (if any).

On Account of whom it May Concern.

By Order of Messrs. PHIPPS, TURNBULL, and CO.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above,
500 casks WHITE SUGAR.
Barrels stained.

Particulars at Sale.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11,
at the A. S. N. Company's Wharf, at 11 o'clock.

The FURNITURE, OFFICE FITTINGS, of the A. S. N. COMPANY'S OFFICES, Circular Quay,
comprising
Office Desks, Stools, Chairs, Office Tables, Iron Safes, Washstands, Copying Presses, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Terms, cash.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12.

TEAS
2451 Packages Queensland River SUGARS
18 Cases Superfine BLUE
45 Cases, each 6 dozen pints, superior KETCHUP
75 Cases UNSWEETENED MILK
3 Bales BROWN PAPER
10 Cases Lowdon's Close HADDOCK
4 Tons South American COFFEE
PROVISIONS, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, the above, WEDNESDAY, October 12, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12,
at the City Mart, at 3 o'clock.

IMPORTANT TIMBER SALE.

Cargo of
OREGON LUMBER.

The ENTIRE CARGO of the Ship PAK-WAN,
from Puget Sound,

Comprising 563,267 FEET OREGON.

By order of Mr. J. C. ELLIS.

A MAGNIFICENT SPECIFICATION.

NOW STACKED ON DIBBS' WHARF.

Particulars in Catalogues.
This Cargo embraces all sizes of ROUGH OREGON, from 1 x 3 to 12 x 12. Also Pickets and Laths.

THE SALE IS ABSOLUTE.

Buyers are asked to Inspect the Cargo on Dibbs' Wharf.

BALTIC DRESSED TIMBER.

THE ENTIRE CARGO OF THE APOLLO,
from Frederickstadt, now discharging at Ellis' Storage Yards, Pyrmont.
embracing:—
BALTIC FLOORING, LINING and DEALS.

WHITE.	RED.
210,414ft. 6 x ⅞ T. and G.	15,501ft. 6 x ⅞ T. and G.
53,993ft. 6 x ⅞ T. G. and B.	50,724ft. 6 x ⅞ T. G. and B.
155,619ft. 6 x ⅞ T. G. and B.	54,335ft. 6 x ⅞ T. G. and B.
64,500ft. 6 x ⅞ T. G. and B.	
131,876ft. WEATHERBOARDS.	26,006ft. WEATHERBOARDS,

and
5,637 DEALS 9 x 3, measuring 189,143 FEET.

On account of Mr. J. C. ELLIS.

This splendidly assorted Cargo is being rapidly put out, and is ready for Immediate Delivery.

THE BALTIC DEALS
are of excellent quality, and the only parcel in the market.

To be followed by the sale of the
ENTIRE SHIPMENT
of
AMERICAN TIMBER,
Ex H. G. Johnsen, from New York.

By order of Messrs. SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO.,
comprising—
BEST MICHIGAN CLEAR PINE.
235 pieces, 2in., 10,000ft.
107 ditto, 2½in., 6038ft.
91 ditto, 3in., 6000ft.
28 ditto, 4in., 3044ft.
27 ditto, 5in., 3000ft.

Totals ... 488 — 28,088ft.

DRESSED SHELVING.
LENOX—34,840ft., 1 x 12, Shelving.

This shipment is being landed at Dibbs' Wharf, where buyers will please inspect.

After which will be sold Messrs. LORIMER, ROME, and CO.'S shipment of
274 SUGAR PINE DOORS
Architraves, Mouldings, &c.,
besides other interests which will appear in catalogues now being issued.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, the above important shipments of timber.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12.

At the CITY MART, at 3 o'clock.

Shipment of
ASHWOOD and WHITEWOOD.

BY ORDER OF THE CONSIGNEES.

Comprising
TM&Sons.—236 pieces Ashwood
6 ditto Whitewood
7 bundles ditto.
IN ROUGH CONDITION.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction,
The above.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

At the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

The Three-masted Schooner
ESTELLE,
195 tons register;
will carry well, and is a perfect model.

This vessel is lying in Waterview Bay, Balmain, and will be put in Mort's Patent Slip for inspection of buyers on WEDNESDAY, 12th October.

Particulars and Inventory at Rooms.

By Order of Mr. JUSTUS SCHARFF.

ABSOLUTE SALE.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
The German three-masted schooner ESTELLE, 195 tons register, as she lies in Mort's Bay.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

At the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

Three-masted Clipper Schooner
FAIRLIE
(well found, and in splendid sea-going order without further outlay),
177 tons register;
will carry a large cargo on an easy draft.

This fine little vessel has recently been thoroughly overhauled, and is open for inspection of buyers in Johnston's Bay, at her anchor.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION.

By Order of the Agent for Owners.

Inventory (which is very complete) at Rooms.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
The clipper three-masted schooner FAIRLIE, 177 tons register.

TO INVESTORS, SPECULATORS, AND OTHERS.

TWO STONE AND BRICK BUILT HOUSES,
PARRAMATTA.

JOHN TAYLOR, under instructions from the vendor, will sell by public auction, at his Sale Rooms, Church-street, on
TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
Two stone and brick built houses, attached, slated and iron roofs. Each contains four rooms, with outbuildings at rear; situate on the north side of Isabella-street, near Pennant Hills road, and adjoining the properties of A. Ferris and J. Saunders, Esq. Ground frontage to Isabella-street is 66 feet, by a depth of 165 feet. Water laid on to the premises.

A profitable investment, giving sure returns.

BUSINESS MEN, PERSONS STARTING BUSINESS.

A BUSINESS SITE,
NEARLY IN CENTRE OF GRANVILLE.

JOHN TAYLOR will sell by public auction, at his Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, at 11 o'clock,
Twenty-one (21) years' LEASE of VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, within three minutes' walk from the railway station, situated on the north side of the Sydney-road, adjoining the Albert Hall or Theatre. Splendid opening for an energetic man. Traffic caught on all sides.

LIBERAL TERMS.
TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

Further particulars on application.

JOHN TAYLOR, Auctioneer.

TO ORCHARDISTS.—A COMFORTABLE INCOME.

ORCHARD PROPERTY AT TOONGABBEE.

JOHN TAYLOR has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Real Property Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on
TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
A full-bearing ORCHARD, orange, lemon, and summer fruit trees, with garden and cultivation reserve, situated on the Old Seven Hills-road, adjoining the noted Toongabbee Estate, and about 3 miles from Parramatta; total area 16½ acres, with a never-failing supply of water. There are about 1100 orange and lemon trees and about 500 trees summer fruits. The residence is a weatherboard cottage of 6 rooms and hall, with detached kitchen; also outbuildings, stables, sheds, underground tank and a dam.
The returns from this property would produce a greater income if worked on an increased scale.

TERMS AT SALE.

On MONDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To LIVERY STABLEKEEPERS, PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMEN, SADDLE and HARNESS BUYERS, &c.

Unreserved Auction Sale
of
AMERICAN PIANO-BOX BUGGIES
DOCTORS' PHAETONS, WEBSTER CARTS
JUMP-SEAT BUGGIES, PHAETONS
WAGGONETTES, &c.
DOUBLE and SINGLE BUGGY HARNESS
GENT.'S RIDING SADDLES, &c.

Just landed direct from the manufacturers.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next 10th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A well-selected shipment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

NOW ON VIEW.

Terms at sale.

On TUESDAY next, 11th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To the WHOLESALE and RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY BUYERS, &c.

USUAL FORTNIGHTLY UNRESERVED SALE
of
BOOTS and SHOES,
in
MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S GOODS,
in
New and Seasonable Lines,
from
Well-known and Favourite Makers.

Just landed ex steamer Clyde.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY Next, 11th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,

A very Choice Shipment of the above.

Full Particulars on Monday.

On WEDNESDAY Next, 12th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To FANCY GOODS WAREHOUSEMEN, STATIONERS, DEALERS, TOY REPOSITORIES, &c.

An Extensive Unreserved Sale of
of
MOSELEY'S TABLE CUTLERY, POCKET KNIVES
SCISSORS
DOLLS in great variety, BRUSHWARE
LADIES' BAGS, RETICULES, PURSES
ALBUMS, FANCY STATIONERY, BASKETWARE
TOBACCONISTS' GOODS, FANCY CHINA and GLASSWARE
PERFUMERY, SOAPS, E. P. WARE, &c.

Just Landed ex Cairnbulg.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY Next, 12th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive Consignment of the above.

Also,
at 11.30 sharp,
14 BALES IMPL. BROWN PAPER and PAPER BAGS.

On account and at risk of shipper.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

On THURSDAY Next, 13th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To WAREHOUSEMEN, LINEN DRAPERS, CLOTHIERS, &c.

AN UNRESERVED SALE
of
NEW DRAPERY
in
GREY and WHITE SHEETINGS, LONGCLOTHS
TURKISH TOWELS, TOILET and H. C. QUILTS
LOOM and BLEACHED DAMASKS, TABLE NAPKINS
CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, UNDERCLOTHING
FANCY PRINTS, SATIN STRIPES, CASHMERES
MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, SHIRTS, HATS
WOMEN'S and MEN'S HOSIERY, &c.

Just landed, ex Cairnbulg.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, 13th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A well-selected shipment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

REGULAR WEEKLY
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,

Comprising—
CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES, complete
Portable and Combination CHESTS DRAWERS
CEDAR and PINE WARDROBES, P. G. doors
SIDEBOARDS, BOOKCASES
CHIFFONIERS, PAIRS TOILETS
CEDAR and PINE CHESTS DRAWERS
DINING and TOILET TABLES
OCCASIONAL and FANCY LOO TABLES
HAIR-SEATED and CRETONNE COUCHES
DINING and DRAWING ROOM SUITES
KITCHEN DRESSERS, TABLES, &c.

OVERMANTELS, TOILET GLASSES
OLEOGRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS.

OIL FLOOR CLOTHS, LINOLEUM, &c.
20 Rolls COIR MATTING.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 11, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

To Grocers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotelkeepers, Storekeepers, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

250 Half-chests BREAKFAST CONGOU
300 Boxes TEA
50 Cases Half-pint SALAD OIL
50 Cases Ditto CASTOR Ditto
75 Cases ROUND PICKLES
10 Ditto INDIAN CURRY
10 Ditto Ditto INDIAN CHUTNEY
75 Ditto WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE
100 Ditto PHILADELPHIA HOP BITTERS
50 Ditto SARSAPARILLA
100 Ditto ENGLISH CIDER, Quarts and Pints
50 Ditto LIMEJUICE CORDIAL
25 Casks CORRY'S GINGER ALE
20 Quarter-casks DE CONDE'S PALE BRANDY
10 Ditto Ditto DARK Ditto
4 Ditto CYPRUS WINE
50 Casks NIMMO'S Quart ALE
300 Tins CONFECTIONERY
200 Ditto MIXED BISCUITS.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the importers to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 13, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers, Commission Brokers, Furniture Warehousemen, and Others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
ELEGANT and VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
comprising
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT PIANOFORTE
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM FURNISHINGS
ART, SAXON, and DRESDEN CHINA ORNAMENTS
MASSIVE DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
OIL PAINTINGS, OLEOGRAPHS
ELEGANT OVERMANTELS and PIER GLASSES
MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM FURNITURE
PLATED WARE, CHINA
GLASSWARE, CUTLERY
CARPETS, OILCLOTH
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, &c., &c.

Full particulars in Tuesday's issue.

Descriptive Catalogues in course of preparation.

ON VIEW THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, and morning of Sale.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from W. A. Pilling, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, Olivia-terrace, Bourke-street, Surry Hills, on FRIDAY, October 14, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of his
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

L A N D
that's
WORTH BUYING.

FERNBANK,
FERNBANK,

MARRICKVILLE
HEIGHTS.

ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22.

Tram from your home to your business.

Liberal assistance to build will be given by the Vendors, The Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited (John W. Dusebury, Esq., manager).

£5 Deposit per Lot.

Balance 10s per £50 owing.

TRAM FRONTAGES.

Main Business Thoroughfare.

300 yards from Railway Station.

Highest Land in Marrickville.

Call for Plans from Vendors, or
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Auctioneers,
122a, Elizabeth-street,
near King-street.

FERNBANK, Marrickville Heights.—Sale, Saturday, Oct. 22, easy terms, assistance to build. Garrard & Hamilton.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from W. A. CROWE, Esq.

CHOICE COLLECTION OF CANARIES.

COPIES — CRESTED NORWICH
YORKSHIRES — LIZARDS, &c.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. will sell the above at the Rooms, 143, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, October 8, 11 a.m.
WITHOUT RESERVE. CATALOGUES.

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 8, at 2 o'clock,
at 13, WILSON-STREET, NEWTOWN.

ALEX. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by public auction, on the premises, 13, Wilson-street,
THE WHOLE of the SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Carpets, linoleum, matting
Electroplate, cutlery, glass, china
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, pier glasses
BRILLIANT-TONED MIGNON COTTAGE PIANOFORTE
ELEGANT SIDEBOARD, plateglass doors and back
DRAWING and DINING ROOM TABLES, Austrian chairs
BRASS MOUNTED DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS and bedding
WARDROBE, PAIR TOILETS and ware, chests drawers
Toilet tables and glasses, kitchen and laundry utensils, &c.

Terms, cash. No reserve.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 10 o'clock.
Dining-room suite, covered in morocco leather, sideboards, chiffoniers, centre, loo, and dining tables, bedsteads and bedding, chests of drawers, washstands, dresser, crockery, glassware, kitchen utensils, and sundries.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
Furniture, as above.

THIS DAY, at 2.30, at Hudson's Cottage, Dowling-street, off Missenden-road, Camperdown.

ALEX. AGNEW will sell without any reserve, S. Machine, H. H. couch and chairs, Aus. chairs, dining table, carpet, pictures, ornts., massive silver-mtd. ½-tester, with blankets, double w. stand, m. safe, crockery, kitchen utensils.

THIS DAY, at 11, at 55, Druitt-street.

ALEX. AGNEW will sell without reserve, The furniture of a lodging-house, which comprises 13 beds, with blankets, w. stands and ware, mirrors, chairs, kitchen utensils.

THIS DAY, Saturday, at 3,
at the Newtown Markets, Newtown,
a quantity of Useful FURNITURE,
comprising
Large Linen Press, Suite in Rep, Leather Suite, Cretonne Suite, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chest Drawers, Couches, Washstands and Ware, Tables, Chairs, Safes, large Sideboard, Pictures, &c., &c., 1 Grindstone, Flowerstand, &c., &c.
Also, Horse, Harness, and splendid Buggy.
No reserve. All to be sold.
Cartage free after sale.
One Piano, very good instrument.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 3.
Newtown Markets, end of Tram Section.

MONDAY, at 11.
BUTCHER'S BUSINESS and PLANT for AUCTION SALE, on MONDAY, at 11 a.m.
next Tram Terminus, Marrickville. Also,
the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
The Plant will be offered in one lot, or lots as approved; 3 Horses, 1 Cart, and all necessary appliances that are required for the business. Premises to Let.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell as above, at 3.
Cash paid same day. No cheques.

MONDAY, at 12.
By Public Auction,
on Premises, Camden-street, NEWTOWN,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, 4 rooms and kitchen, near the bottom of Camden-street.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 12.
Cash at once after the sale.
No cheques.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
at the Rooms, 325, Pitt-street, next Y. M. C. A.
Superior Leather Suite, stuffed backs, mahogany frames
Dining-room Suites, in blue rep, 9 pieces
Austrian Chairs, Washstands and Sets, Tables and Glasses
Bedsteads and Bedding, Wardrobes, Chests Drawers
Carpets, Rugs, Counterpanes, Blankets, Matting
Kitchen Utensils, Crockery, Tubs, Pots, &c.
Also 2 very fine Spanish Roosters.

J. T. RILEY and CO. will sell the above, at their Rooms, 325, Pitt-street, at 10 o'clock THIS DAY.

MONDAY, 10th INSTANT, at 11 a.m.

At the RISK of the FORMER PURCHASER.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and EFFECTS.
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, PICTURES
PIER GLASSES, BOOK-CASES, Oilcloth
P. G. CHIFFONIER, Tables, C. B. Austrian Chairs
Sideboard, E. P. Ware, Cutlery
Bedsteads and Bedding, Spring Mattresses
MASSIVE WARDROBES, Plate-glass Doors
Handsome DUCHESSE SUITES, Chests Drawers
LINEN PRESS, Table and Bed LINEN
Kitchen and Laundry Requisites.
Also,
The LEASE of the HOUSE.

WM. CRANE, Jun., has received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, 221, Macquarie-street, As above. TERMS, CASH.

The LEASE will be sold SEPARATELY, and the FURNITURE in LOTS, without reserve (NOT in one line as previously).

MONDAY, October 10, 1887, at 11 o'clock, Under Distraint for Rent.
Household Furniture, 2 Sewing Machines, Tables, Couches, Chairs, Crockery, &c.
Cottage facing Signal Box, Summer Hill Railway Station.
No reserve.

Baltic Wharf, near Pyrmont Bridge.

A. VIDER will sell by auction, on the above premises, on MONDAY next, 10th instant,
A quantity of old building materials (good) consisting of timber, 100 sheets of iron, doors, sashes, frames, &c., &c. Sale at 11 a.m. Office, 22, Erskine-street.

Insolvent Estate of Goodsell and Co. CEDAR LOGS.

A. VIDER will sell by auction, by order of the Official Assignee, on MONDAY, 10th instant, at the Railway Iron Wharf, Darling Harbour,
50 cedar logs, now rafted at the end of the wharf.
Sale at 2 p.m.

UNRESERVED SALE OF
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Removed to the
North Shore Auction Rooms, Walker-street,
for convenience of Sale.

G. T. CLARKE and CO. have received instructions to sell as above on WEDNESDAY, October 12, at 11 o'clock.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
WEDNESDAY next, at 2 o'clock.
On the Premises, Woolloomooloo-street.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, the above.

PAIR OF PONIES FROM MACLEAY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Wheeldon, Macleay, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
A pair of bay pony mares, 5 years, broken to saddle and harness, run well together, good match, quiet, and fine goers.

BAKER'S CART.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
A baker's cart, nearly new.

TO SPORTING MEN AND OTHERS.

TROTTING MARE DAREBIN MAID.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from W. C. Hill, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
DAREBIN MAID, brown mare, perfectly quiet in harness, stand without holding, used to tram, and one of the fastest trotters in the city.

SALE BY AUCTION.

IMPORTANT HORSE SALE.

250 HEAD OF DRAUGHT COLTS, FILLIES, BUGGY HORSES, HACKNEYS, &c.

JOHNSTON and BORTHWICK have received instructions from Messrs. Cooper, Dwyer, Mitchell, and various other owners, to sell by auction, at the
MUNICIPAL SALEYARDS, TAMWORTH,
On THURSDAY, October 13, at 11 o'clock,
250 head of first-class horses of every description.

Buyers should not lose this opportunity of securing bargains.

The Auctioneers invite owners to send particulars of any horses they may have to dispose of, as we anticipate a large attendance of buyers, having advertised in the Sydney, Maitland, and other leading papers.

EIGHT HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS AND SETS OF HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. A. and R. AMOS, Railway Contractors, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on TUESDAY NEXT, October 11th instant,
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CAMPERDOWN YARDS, TUESDAY, 11th instant.

50 HUNTER RIVER HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. BOUFFIER and STEPHENSON, HUNTER RIVER, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on TUESDAY NEXT, October 11th instant,
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30 well-bred upstanding horses, broken and unbroken, suited for van, 'bus, saddle, and light harness work, advised as a really first-class lot, in grand condition, and fit for immediate work.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, FRIDAY, 14th instant.

30 GUNDAGAI HORSES.

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GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY NEXT, 10th instant, 80 prime fat cattle, for F. A. Parbury, Esq., from Satur.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, the 8th instant, at 10 o'clock, Butchers' green sheepskins. Terms, cash.

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STORE CATTLE. STORE CATTLE.

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WOOLLAHRA.—House, No. 178, Cameron-street, 5 rooms, rent 15s. Oatley and Cahill, 110, Queen-street.

WOOLLAHRA.—To LET, 6-roomed HOUSE, kitchen, bath, gas, &c. No. 3, Warrane-ter., Moncur-st.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—HOUSE facing bay, 9 large rooms, 30s week. H. Vaughan and Son, 142, King-st.

WAVERLEY.—To LET, COMO, Waverley street, close to Bondi Junction, VILLA, containing 7 rooms, kitchen, laundry, with every convenience, and splendid views. J. H. NEWMAN, 12, Oxford-street.

WAVERLEY.—To LET, 4, Ocean View-terrace, Leichhardt-street, nice Family Residence, 6 rooms, gas, bath, every convenience, near tram. Mrs. BRUTON, Wentworth-court.

WAVERLEY.—BRIGHTON, Newland-st., splendid family residence, 9 rooms, gas, bath, copper, every convenience, near tram. Mrs. BRUTON, Wentworth-court.

WOOLLAHRA.—To LET, a Cottage RESIDENCE, containing 7 rooms, hall, kitchen and offices, garden, &c., choice position, close tram. OATLEY and CAHILL, 110, Queen-street, Woollahra, a few doors from Moncur-st.; 120, Elizabeth-st.

WYNOLA HOUSE and Grounds, the residence of And. Broad, Esq., to be LET, furnished or unfurnished, containing 7 large rooms, kitchen, outoffices, &c., baths (hot and cold), billiard-room; nearly an acre of land; beautifully situated at Croydon, near station. WOOLCOTT and SAUNDERS, 50, Castlereagh-street.

WOOLLAHRA HEIGHTS.—SHERBOURNE, a gentleman's detached Residence and Grounds, to LET, now in occupation of G. O'Malley Clarke, Esq., S.M., containing 11 rooms, hall, kitchen, laundry, coachhouse, stables, cowshed, &c.; land about two acres, subdivided into ornamental gardens, paddock, &c. Rent, and cards to view, from OATLEY and CAHILL, 120, Elizabeth-street, Sydney; and 110, Queen-street, Woollahra.

WAVERLEY.—To be LET, furnished, for 6 to 8 months, a Gentleman's RESIDENCE, standing within 2 to 3 acres of grounds, laid out as lawn, flower, and vegetable gardens. The house cotains very large drawing and dining rooms, connected by folding doors; 7 other rooms, kitchen, pantry, laundry, &c., and altogether finished in good style. There is also a bushhouse, 3-stall stable, and coachhouse. A gardener is retained to keep the grounds in order. This will be found a most desirable residence. Cards to view may be obtained on application to J. J. SLADE, 303, Pitt-street.

WELL SUITED FOR A LADIES' PRIVATE SCHOOL, or a quiet FAMILY HOTEL.
To LET, or for SALE, a bargain, a commodious Cottage RESIDENCE, adjoining a railway station, near Parramatta, built especially to suit the vendor's requirements for a residence, containing 10 rooms, hall, kitchen, bathroom, storeroom, cellar, &c., &c., every convenience, with any area of ground from 1 acre to 10 acres, together with the privilege of grazing over 500 acres.
Cards to view and full particulars from W. PRITCHARD and SON, Federal Auction Rooms, Pitt and King streets, Sydney.

YORK-ST., opposite Fruit Markets.—SHOP, suit wholesale fruiterer. G. R. Swyny, 61, Royal Arcade.

YORK-STREET.—To LET, near the Markets, a splendid large SHOP, with 3 rooms and basement attached; rent moderate. WOOLCOTT and SAUNDERS, 50, Castlereagh-street.

A STERLING PROOF OF THE CASH YOU CAN SAVE by purchasing at JAMES KIDMAN'S now that the NEW TARIFF has come into force.

The following is a copy of an order received with the prices, showing what the cost would have been under the old Customs Duties and the actual cost under the new ones:—
6th October, 1887.
Oxford-street, or George and Market streets.
Mr. ———, Summer Hill.
BOUGHT OF JAMES KIDMAN.

Cost at Old Prices.	£ s. d.	Cost under the new Tariff £ s. d.
6 packets Starch ...	0 3 0	0 1 6
3 bottles London Pickles ...	0 2 6	0 1 10½
3 bottles C. and B. Sauces ...	0 2 3	0 1 6
3 tins Mortons Jams ...	0 2 0	0 1 6
3 bottles C. and B. Essences	0 2 3	0 1 6
3 bottles Whybrow's Fruits	0 3 6	0 2 7½
6 packets Petroline Candles	0 3 3	0 2 9
3 packets Paraffines...	0 2 0	0 1 6
3 packets Gelatine ...	0 1 6	0 1 1½
3 packets Isinglass ...	0 1 6	0 1 1½
1 Finnis and Fisher Ham...	0 16 0	0 14 0
6 packets Maizena ...	0 3 0	0 2 3
3 bottles C. and B. Vinegar.	0 2 6	0 2 1½
3 bottles Capers ...	0 2 6	0 2 1½
1 Edam Cheese ...	0 4 6	0 3 6
Total ...	£2 12 3	£2 1 0

difference 11s 3d.

Thus it will be seen on an order for £2 12s 3d under the Old Tariff that the cost under the new would be £2 1s, thereby effecting a saving of 11s 3d on the parcel, or about 25 per cent.

JAMES KIDMAN, Oxford-street, and George and Market streets.

THIS AFTERNOON. Strathfield South, £1 deposit, 2s 6d w., assist. to build. Free tickets, Garrard & Hamilton.

FERNBANK, Marrickville Heights.—Sale, Saturday, Oct. 22, easy terms, assistance to build. Garrard & Hamilton.

Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS WILSON, of Crescent-street, Balmain, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly beloved BROTHER, George Robert Simpson Wilson; to move from his late residence, Auburn House, Darghan-street, Lyndhurst, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, for the train leaving for Penrith at 9 a.m., thence to Greendale Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN, JAMES H., and CHARLES WILSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved BROTHER, George Robert Simpson Wilson; to move from his late residence, Auburn House, Darghan-street, Lyndhurst, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, for the train leaving for Penrith at 9 a.m., thence to Greendale Cemetery.

THE FUNERAL of the late Mr. PHILIP WINTER LE QUESNE will leave the Nursing Home, 10, Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 11 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. Mrs. P. KIRBY, Undertaker, 66 and 84, Hunter-street; and Enmore-road, Newtown Bridge.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOSEPH CARTER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased dearly-beloved WIFE, Martha; to move from her late residence, 163, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Mortuary, Redfern, thence to Necropolis. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799, George-street, Sydney.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOSEPH and JOHN CARTER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased beloved MOTHER; to move from her residence, 163, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. WOOD and CO., Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ARTHUR MOORE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased MOTHER-IN-LAW, Martha Carter; to move from her residence, 163, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. WOOD and CO., Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. EDMUND LEWIS PEARCE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, corner of Victoria and Toothill streets, Petersham, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis. Boots and Gommeson, Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown, and Leichhardt.

Personal.

A.—ARE you ill? Do write or wire. So disappointed not hearing from you. B.

ASSOCIATION MISSING FRIENDS, NEXT OF KIN, HEIRS, LEGATEES (Lloyd's), 42, Hunter-street, Removed from 9 and 10, Norwich-chambers. Searches every description undertaken. Evidence collected in divorce, fraud, &c.

ABSCONDERS, Debtors, and Deserters traced, evidence in Divorce obtained, confidential inquiries of every description instituted; experienced officers only engaged; references bankers, magistrates, solicitors, &c. Note the address: Next of Kin and Private Inquiry Association, 9 and 10, Norwich-chambers, 56, Hunter-street, Sydney.

CABMAN that took lady from Riley Brothers', George and Bathurst streets, at 1 o'clock Friday, please call; reward.

FRANK GREGORY, last heard of at Emmaville, in the Glen Innes District, Please write at once to your brother Jim, at Liverpool. There has been a death in the family.

G. S. QUAIL,—Please call on Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques.

GENTLEMAN, Ocean-street, Woollahra, called on lady 59, Holt-street, send address. M. H.

KATIE M'CAFFERY,—Mrs. Stuart wants to see you. Send address care Observer, Balmain.

MELBOURNE.—Wright's Inquiry Office, 47, Queen-st. Estab. 20 years. Strictly confidential. Exper. officers.

SOMES, H. A., Mrs. (née ANNIE THORNTON), will hear of something to her advantage by communicating with W. Thornton, care Box 241, G. P. O., Sydney.

WILL Mr. GILDER, late from Goulburn, call on Mr. Osborne at once.

Lost and Found.

KINDLY return PURSE, lost Friday afternoon North Shore steamer, to 'Bus, Herald Office. Reward.

LEFT in ladies' cloak room at Mayoress's Cinderella Party, Diamond RING. Reward. Apply Town Clerk.

LOST, on Newtown-road, silver Matchbox, "Punch" enamelled and initials. Reward. S. A. Stephen, 81, Pitt-st.

LOST, on the Manly boat, a roll of MUSIC. Finder please return to Mr. Boyle, care Bruce and Massey, Pitt-st.

LOST, near Ashfield railway station, small Cameo BROOCH. W. J. Spencer, Julia-street, Ashfield.

LOST, 3 KEYS (patent), on ring. Reward. J. C. Arnolds, 73, Bathurst-street.

LOST, at Mayor's Ball, Gold BANGLE; initials, A. J. S. and F. C. H. Finder leave at Town Hall.

LOST, on Monday, between Leichhardt and Newtown, brown and white Spaniel. Rova. Rew. Rogers, baker, Ashfd.

LOST, at Mayor's Ball, Gold Chain BRACELET. Reward. C. Fowler, Survey Office, Bridge-street.

LOST, last Friday, from watch-chain, Compass, with cameo pendant (keepsake); reward. Woodin and Robberds.

LOST, white BULL TERRIER, ears cut, 6 months old. M. Neary, Revolving Battery Hotel, Dowling-street. Liberal reward.

LOST, a black-and-tan Collie DOG, white mark down the nose. Reward on returning the same to W. A., Claude Ville, Rocky Point-road, Kogarah.

LOST, from Leichhardt tram yesterday, a PARCEL from David Jones and Co., addressed Lieut.-Colonel Stokes. Please return to R. Towns and Co., Jamieson-street.

LOST, from old wharf, Woolwich, Lane Cove River, varnished Cedar DINGY, 14ft., light salmon inside; 10s reward, or £10 on conviction of the thief if stolen. Edward Bulcher, Woolwich.

LOST, 2 PONIES, one branded H. D. near shoulder bay; other chestnut mare, near side hip down. Finder will be rewarded by applying to W. MILEY, 52, Shepherd-street, Darlington.

LOST, from Tenterfield, on or about 20th September, 1 Bay HORSE, black points, switch tail, branded N on MB near shoulder. Twenty pounds reward if stolen and one if strayed. The above reward will be paid by T. Curly, Tenterfield; or, P. J. Larkin, Fairfield.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Lost, HORSE, red roan, white face and feet, C. 1. near shoulder. 1, South-av'e, Pe'm.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, FOX TERRIER, yellow ears, black spot on middle of back. James Cox, 180, Phillip-street.

REWARD, 10s.—Strayed, from University Paddock, Roan COW, branded ∞ in circle. S. M'Minn, Arundel-terrace, Forest Lodge.

REWARD.—LOST, on Sunday last, Lady's Black Jersey Cloth JACKET, with piece fawn ribbon attached to neck, between Petersham and Coogee. Finder, please leave same at bookstall, Railway Station.

REWARD, 30s.—LOST, from a paddock in Canterbury, bay HORSE, B near shoulder; dark bay MARE, BB off side; roan MARE, FF with G under. The above reward will be paid to anyone delivering the same to W. Eggleton, Norfolk-street, Newtown.

STRAYED into my yard, 1 Bay MARE, branded 2 over WB near shoulder, No. 6 off shoulder. If not claimed in 3 days will be sold to defray expenses. Apply No. 11, Steammill-street.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.—LOST, Thursday, small Italian Greyhound DOG. 681, George-street, Haymarket.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, a White COCKATOO, with pink and yellow topknot. Corner of Goodhope-street and Glenmore-road.

FOUND, Fox-terrier DOG. G. M'Namara, butcher, Cleveland-street, Redfern.

FOUND, off Victoria-st., Buggy HARNESS. Apply J. Hanson, 26, Riley-street North.

FOUND, Pug DOG. Owner can have same by paying expenses and giving description. 370, Pitt-street.

FOUND, black-and-white DOG. Owner can have same by applying No. 8, Woodburn-street, Redfern.

FOUND, at Cinderella Ball, Thursday evening, Gold Bangle, with inscription. Paragon Hotel, Circular Quay.

FOUND, in Newtown, LOCKET and EARRINGS. Owner can have same by giving description and paying expenses. Box 478, G. P. O., Sydney.

STRAYED into my yard, half-fledged GOSLING. Mrs. Tunks, Walker-street, North Shore.

STRAYED into my yard, 1 Bay HORSE, brands unknown, 2 white snips on hind legs. Apply 30, Engine-street, Haymarket.

Lectures.

MR. THOMAS WALKER'S SUNDAY EVENING LECTURES, Spencer's Academy, 614, George-street (next Lawlor's), TO-MORROW EVENING.
Subject:
"Solomon and Polygamy."
Doors open 6.45, Lecture 7.30.
Musical Programme.

Social and Dance on Thursday Evening, Spencer's Academy.
A Picnic Christmas Day.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.
A LECTURE (illustrated by lantern views) will be delivered by Mr. M. J. E. MacLaughlin THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
"Swiss Mountains and Mountaineers."
Admission, as usual, 3d.
HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.
The following FREE LECTURES will be delivered NEXT WEEK in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, commencing at 8 p.m.:—
WEDNESDAY—"Plants suitable for Cultivation in New South Wales," by Mr. D. Ritchie.
THURSDAY—"The Residual Products of the Gas Manufacture," by Mr. Edgar Hall.
FRIDAY—"How to Detect and Remove Impurities in Water," by Mr. Percy J. Edmunds.
HUGH POLLOCK, B.A., Acting Secretary.

Y. M. C. A.
SIXTH LECTURE OF THE WINTER COURSE, MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, at 7.45, by C. S. WILKINSON, Esq., L.S., F.G.S., Government Geologist. Subject: "GEOLOGY," with lantern illustrations. W. G. MURRAY in the Chair.
Admission Free. DAVID WALKER, Gen. Secretary.

Coal, Firewood, &c.

C O A L.
The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling LARGE COAL from their Hartley Vale Colliery at 5s (five shillings) per ton in trucks, at pit's mouth.
Brickmasters, coal merchants, and others will derive considerable benefit in purchasing this coal, as it is cheaper, and the freights are less, than those from other Western Collieries.
Further particulars at HEAD OFFICE, 102, Clarence-street; or from the agents, G. ROBERTSON and CO., Bathurst-street, and W. RICHARDSON, Young-street, Annandale.

THIS DAY, ST. PETERS LAND SALE, on the Ground, at 3.30, the Pick of the district. Main road frontages only. Shop and business sites within the reach of all. No reserve. Terms, 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months; balance extending over 2 years.
BOYD and KING, Auctioneers.

Shipping.

F O R L O N D O N
FOR THE JANUARY WOOL SALES.
The fast and favourite 100 A1 clipper ship CIMBA, John Fimister, Commander.
Has almost the whole of her cargo on board and engaged, and will be despatched about the 17th October. This vessel will go into DOCK before sailing, and her last passage with wool was accomplished in 86 DAYS.
For freight apply to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., Agents.
WOOL received at Flood and Co.'s.

F O R L O N D O N.
The favourite Clipper Ship CAIRNBULG, Charles Murray, Commander, will have early despatch.
For freight, &c.,
MASON BROTHERS, Limited.
Wool received at Flood's.

F O R L O N D O N.
DEVITT and MOORE'S LINE.
The magnificent ship DERWENT, J. R. Andrew, Commander, is now fast loading.
Inspection is invited to the superior accommodation for saloon passengers.
For freight, &c., apply to
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GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO. } Agents.
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FOR LONDON DIRECT.
For the January Wool Sales.
The Aberdeen Clipper, SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, JOHN HENDERSON, Commander, is now loading, and requiring only a limited quantity of wool to complete her cargo, will have prompt despatch.
This fine well-known favourite ship, noted for her rapid voyages, offers shippers of wool a most favourable opportunity of catching the sales.
For terms of freight, apply to
DALGETY and CO., Limited.
Wool received at Dalgety's Stores.

THE ABERDEEN LINE.
The undersigned will despatch for London the following first-class Ships, about the undermentioned dates:—

Ship.	Commander.	Tons.	Date.
PATRIARCH	Henry Plater	1339	October.
SMYRNA	Thomas Taylor	1305	November.
ABERDEEN, S.S.	James Barclay	3616	November.
TRAFALGAR	David Moir	1429	December.
AVIEMORE	Mark Breach	1091	January.
PERICLES	James Largie	1598	January.

To be followed by other first-class ships.
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FIRST SHIP with the PRESENT SEASON'S CLIP of WOOL.
The famous 100 A1 Iron Clipper Ship PATRIARCH is now rapidly loading at the Circular Quay, and, requiring but a very limited quantity of wool, will be despatched in a few days for the
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This ship left here last season on the 24th October and was reported at London seven days before the sales opened.
Has very superior accommodation, fitted with every requisite for FIRST and SECOND CLASS PASSENGERS. Inspection of which is invited.
For freight or passage apply to
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SHIP DHULEEP SINGH, from NEW YORK.
Discharging at A. S. N. Co., Circular Quay.
CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once. The ship will not be responsible for any loss of, or damage to, cargo after same shall have been landed, and any cargo impeding discharge will be entered and stored at consignees' risk and expense.
Bills of Lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any cargo can be delivered.
R. TOWNS and CO., Jamieson-street.

Captain LOWER will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

BARQUE H. G. JOHNSON, from NEW YORK.
CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Dibbs's Wharf. Bills of Lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained before any goods can leave the wharf. Consignees are particularly notified that goods, delivery of which is not taken on being landed, will be stored by the wharfinger at the consignees' risk and expense.
SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO., Agents, 6 and 8, Loftus-street.

Captain COLBY will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

AUSTRALIAN COMPANY'S STAR LINE.
MARY A. TROOP, from New York.
Consignees are requested to PASS ENTRIES AT ONCE for A. S. N. Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for any loss of or damage to cargo after same shall have been landed, and any cargo impeding discharge will be entered and stored at consignees' risk and expense.
Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any cargo can be delivered.
H. S. CHIPMAN, Agent.

Captain YOUNG will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

PACIFIC SLOPE, from BURRARD'S INLET.
All ACCOUNTS against this vessel must be rendered by 10 a.m. THIS DAY, or they will not be recognised.
H. J. NICHOLSON, Agent, 22, Bridge-street.

THE Barque ROYAL TAR will ship her crew this morning at 10 a.m. on board, at New Dock, Johnson's Bay.
D. WALKLEY, Master.

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FOR SALE, Schooner, 300 tons on 10ft. 6in., bargain SCHOONER, 250 tons on 8ft. 6in., newly metalled SCHOONER, 170 tons on 10ft., good order, cheap KETCH, 40 to 80 tons on 4ft. 9in. to 6ft. 6in., well found CUTTER, 10 tons on 4ft., newly coppered, fast sailer.
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Iron screw steamers JULIA PERCY and NELSON.
Can be inspected at the Australian Wharf—the former on MONDAY and TUESDAY and the latter on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY in each week.
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FAIRLY Educated young Gentleman would obtain small salary (equivalent to pocket-money), and evening, &c., preparation for Teacher's or University Examination, in return for daily services with very small class in Collegiate School (city). State promptly age, education, and salary expected, &c., to Maitre, William-street Post-office.

FEDERAL COFFEE PALACE COMPANY, Limited.
APPLICATIONS for the Position of HOUSE MANAGER will be received by the Directors until the 30th Day of NOVEMBER, 1887.
Applicants must state their previous experience, and must forward copies of testimonials, &c.
Appointment will date from 1st January, 1888, and salary will be for the first year £500.
All applications must be in writing, and addressed to the offices of the Company,
54, COLLINS-STREET EAST, MELBOURNE.
JAMES MIRAMS, Secretary.
21st September, 1887.

GOVERNESSES' and Tutors' Institute, 55, Hunter-street.—Governesses, Finishing, Medium, Nursery, Lady Housekeepers, Lady Helps, Tutors and Assistant Masters, waiting engagements, Schools for Sale, good Boys' School wanted.

GROCER and IRONMONGER.—Wanted, good smart JUNIOR with knowledge of trade in both branches, and willing make himself useful; for country. Apply 9 to 10 to-day at E. Rich and Co.'s, 95, Pitt-street.

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HAIRDRESSER wanted for Saturday. No. 1, Albion-street, opposite Belmore Park.

HAIRDRESSER wanted for Bourke, good wages and share profits. Apply, 10 to 12, Needham, 98, Elizabeth-st.

HAIRDRESSER wanted, single man just out of his time preferred. P. L. B., Herald Office.

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HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.
APPLICATIONS invited for the position of MATRON to the above Hospital; such applications to be made in writing, with testimonials, not later than OCTOBER 8, to the Hon. Sec., from whom particulars can be obtained.
H. C. KENT, Hon. Sec., Bell's-chambers, 129, Pitt-street.

INSURANCE CANVASSERS permanently engaged offered good commissions; easily worked with present duties. Puer, Herald Office.

JUNIOR CLERK required for insurance office, age about 16; small salary to commence with. Junior, Herald Office.

LEGAL.—Wanted, a Junior CLERK, solicitor's office. Apply Lex, Herald Office.

LEGAL.—Wanted, for solicitor's office, Costs CLERK, who understands keeping books. Alpha, Herald Office.

LADY, as GOVERNESS, to teach English, thorough French, music, and singing, excellent needlewoman, and fond of children. Noëlie, Herald.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, competent stylish Milliner, Improvers, and Apprentices. Kensett, 590, George-street.

MILLINERY and General Sales, with good address; suburban house, half holiday, in or out doors. State salary.
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PARTNER, established Agency Business, good income. Business men only need apply. H. J., Herald.

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PARTNERS wanted, Auctioneering, £300; Mining Agency, £250; Brickmaking, £500. W. Brown and Co.

PARTNER with £30 at once, no risk, genuine gift, only open to-day. No. 1, Central Arcade, upstairs.

PARTNER.—Wanted, a Gentleman with £1500 for distillery, sure fortune. Leighton and Co., 137, Phillip-st.

PARTNER required in Sydney with £1000 in an Indent and Agency Business; capital and management under investor's control; first-class opening. Indentor, Herald Office.

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PUPIL TEACHER (non-resident) for Girl's School, no fee, tuition in music and French. Apply, by letter, addressed to Paddington, care of Mrs. Mooney, stationer, Oxford-street, city.

REQUIRED, a thoroughly competent Grocer's CANVASSER; must have had previous experience and possess references for honesty and sobriety; state salary. Alpha, Herald Office.

SALESMAN wanted, to take charge of Woollen Department; only steady men need apply.
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TAILORS.—A first-class CUTTER required. J. Graham, 543, George-street.

TAILORESSES.—Furnished ROOM, rent free, teach lady trade. 37, Mill-street, Pyrmont.

TO BUTCHERS.—Wanted, single young MAN, for shopwork. Apply Butcher, Herald Office.

TO DRAPERS.—Vacancy for good SALESMAN. Apply W. E. Brasnett and Co., Walker-street, North Shore.

TO GROCERS.—Wanted, good Counter HAND. Apply H. R. Cooper, 105, George-street West.

TO Hairdressers.—Wanted, a good HAND, for to-day. A. and A. Young, 58, Erskine-street.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a first-class HAND. J. Cuthbertson, 11, Park-street.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a MAN for Saturday. Emporium Hairdressing Saloon, Wells-st., Redfern.

TO IRONMONGERS.—Wanted, a Junior IRONMONGER. Apply H. R. Sainty, Church-st., Parramatta.

TO PARENTS and Guardians.—Wanted, smart Boys, plumbing trade. 11 and 1, Cameron, 199, Elizabeth-street.

TO PLUMBERS.—Wanted, a smart Improver to the plumbing. Apply early H. Simpson, Liverpool-rd., Ashfield.

TO STATIONERS.—Wanted, an ASSISTANT for retail counter. By letter to W. E. Smith, 28-30, Bridge-st.

TAILORING.—A gentleman of long experience seeks ENGAGEMENT, as Cutter or Manager, in some respectable firm. Address Fidelity, Post-office, Haymarket.

TAILOR wanted, by the week; only steady men need apply.
A. FINLAYSON and CO., 14, York-street, Sydney.

THE Advertiser, with a mineral lease of great value, is desirous of meeting with a gentleman of small capital for the purpose of FLOATING the Mine in the English market. Mineral, Paddington Post-office.

TO COMPOSITORS.—COMPOSITORS arriving in Sydney are requested to call on the Secretary of the N. S. W. Typographical Association, 119, King-street, before accepting employment. W. G. HIGGS, Sec.

THIS DAY, ST. PETERS LAND SALE, on the Ground, at 3.30, the Pick of the district. Main road frontages only. Shop and Business Sites within the reach of all. No reserve. Terms, 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months, balance extending over 2 years.
BOYD and KING, Auctioneers.

TO TAILORS.—Coat and Vest HANDS, in-door. JOHN QUINN, Erskine-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—First-class Vest HAND wanted. Wm. Ritchie, 17, Bond-street.

TO SQUATTERS.—SHEEP-OVERSEER, or Manager, wanted, having a general knowledge in the management of sheep and station; testimonials; good reference. A. T., care T. Stewart, Esq., wool agent, Arbitration-st., Circ. Qy.

TO PARENTS and Guardians.—There is a Vacancy in the office of a General Agent and Accountant for an articled APPRENTICE, who will receive a thorough training in secretarial work, theoretical and practical bookkeeping, and the routine of a mercantile office. Box 876, G. P. O.

TO BUTCHERS and Others, Victuallers, Keepers.—First-class Ice House BUILDER, newest regulations to keep the meat frozen and dry.
M. FOELDNER, Hillside, Morris-street, Marrickville.
Inquire Mr. W. Tiholl, butcher, tram terminus, Marrickville.

TO GROCERS and Provision Merchants.—A pushing business Man desires to REPRESENT a Firm; thorough colonial experience, town or country; a good salesman, or would accept an appointment as manager of a retail establishment; references reliable. Address Progress, care of Mrs. Nowell, Marsden-street, Parramatta.

TO COMPOSITORS.—The attention of compositors is drawn to the following resolution, which was carried at a meeting of the Board of Management of the N. S. W. Typographical Association on Saturday last:—"That, up to Saturday, the 29th of October, 1887, all non-union compositors (provided that they have not been guilty of unfair practices) be admitted to membership of the N. S. W. T. A. on payment of 5s."
Application for membership will be received by the undersigned, at the Rooms, 119, King-street.
Compositors working in country towns are also invited to join the above association, and may do so by forwarding to the undersigned 5s (stamps or P. O. O.) and certificates or indentures to show that they have been at least five years at the trade.
W. G. HIGGS, Secretary.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.
APPLICATIONS will be received not later than FRIDAY, October 14th, from Gentlemen qualified to undertake the duties of TUTOR IN MEDICINE.
The appointment will be made by the Conjoint Board, consisting of the Senate of the University and the Directors of the Prince Alfred Hospital, under regulations to be adopted by that Board. The tenure of office will be for one year, and the salary £200.
H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

VACANCY for an articled pupil in architect's office, no premium. Apply M. R. A., Herald Office.

WANTED, Makers of Ladies Hand Bags; fancy plush goods. Apply by letter, Alfred Langan, Daily Telegraph.

WANTED, a DRESSMAKER, by the day. Apply 53, Stanley-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, MAN to paint walls, brush hand. Apply Braylesford, tram terminus, Bondi.

WANTED, an APPRENTICE for the watchmaking. P. A. Holmgren, 257, Kent-street, near Margaret-street.

WANTED, BODYMAKER, able to do wheels. Evans, foot of Caverner's Hill, Parramatta-rd., Petershm.

WANTED, perfect Music TEACHER for advanced child. State terms. H. F., Herald.

WANTED, two good TUCKPOINTERS. Apply Mr. Blunt, Emily-street, Stanmore.

WANTED, smart YOUTH, for a mercantile office. Boy 166, G. P. O.

WANTED, PARTNER in small iron foundry; good connection. Box 28, Haymarket.

WANTED, a SHOPMAN. Apply Mr. Miller, butcher, Bay-street, Glebe.

WANTED, good BRONZER and Burnisher, Birmingham hand prefd. S. J. Turnbull, 253, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, a PROVEDORE for s.s. Fijian, bond required. Geo. W. Nicoll, Victoria Wharf.

WANTED, first-class DRESSMAKER, leading suburb. Reply, stating salary, to Draper, Herald.

WANTED, a good COACHPAINTER. Apply W. Mitchell, buggy factory, Richmond.

WANTED, Commissions, by experienced traveller, Northern, Southern, Western lines. Delta, Newtown P. O.

WANTED, a SHOPMAN. A. M'Neill, butcher, 414, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, strong LAD, used carpenter's work. New Cottages, Holden-street, Ashfield, near Baptist Church.

WANTED, a respectable LAD, used to butchering. Ireland, butcher, opposite Public school, Ashfield.

WANTED, 3 good HARNESSMAKERS. Apply between 3 and 4 o'clock to-morrow, 788, George-street.

WANTED, DRESSMAKER, to work in house. 53, Stanley-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, good Blacksmith, accustomed to work drop hammer. Souter and Martin, Jones-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, a good GLAZIER. Apply 372, Sussex-street, 8 a.m.

WANTED, first-class English TRIMMER; none other need apply. Vial and Son, 181, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, Smith's HELPER. Wm. Vial and Son, coachbuilders, Elizabeth-street, Paddington.

WANTED, SALESMAN and TRAVELLER, for oil and colour and glass business, must be thoroughly up to the trade. Apply by letter to Salesman, Herald Office.

WANTED, a few Lady or Gentleman CANVASSERS, to sell new books; salary and commission; special terms. Address Canvasser, Herald Office.

WANTED, YOUTH, for wool-broker's office; one accustomed to insurance work preferred; salary, 10s per week. Apply Box 669, General Post Office.

WANTED, respectable Canvassing AGENT, to take orders for the Classified Business Account Book, town and country; a good man liberally treated. Apply, with reference, Box 14, Newtown P. O.

WANTED, the Services of a GENTLEMAN capable of editing a country daily journal; must be able to report. Applications addressed W., care of Greville's Telegram Company, Eldon-chambers, Pitt-street.

WANTED, thoroughly experienced CANVASSERS, for country districts; life assurance men preferred; refs. indispensable; salary, £3 per week and commission. Apply by letter, in the first instance, to Cynthia, G. P. O., Sydney.

WANTED, a young, strong, energetic MAN, writing good hand, to take weight, and help generally in store. State salary expected. Apply in own handwriting, Woolpack, Herald Office.

WANTED, a first-class CHEMIST and DENTIST, to take premises at Croydon station, the first three months' rent free; the shop fitted up in first-class style; a good opening for a first-class man. Apply to
G. BYGRAVES, Milton-street, Ashfield.

Situations Wanted.

A CERTIFICATED English Lady desires an ENGAGEMENT as daily governess. Freda, P. O., Paddington.

ADVICE to Employers.—Engage Male and Female Servants at Simmond's Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

A GOOD General Servant wants SITUATION on North Shore. Fairview, Town Hall, Milson's Point.

A LADY leaving for England can highly recommend her German Governess. 4, Tamworth Mansions, Eliz. Bay-road.

AN experienced Upholsterer wants WORK at your own home or otherwise. Address 1, Hutchinson-st., St. Peters.

ANXIOUS, respectable Woman COOK, accustomed to hotel. Miss Hall, agency, 38, Park-street, suburbs.

AS Servants in one house, two Sisters, Prot., want PLACES. Fairview, Town Hall, Milson's Point.

A STRONG Girl wants Situation as Plain C. and L., or General Servant. Apply A. M., Post-office, Redfern.

AT 170, Castlereagh-street.—Swiss Housemaid, speaks French, German, Italian. Generals and others for suburbs.

AT the Male Department, Servants' Home, 83, Market-st.—No charge to employers for engaging men and boys.

A THOROUGH exp. Cook, good refs.; House and P. Maid disengaged. Mrs. Brown's Reg., Miller-st., North Shore.

A YOUNG Lady desires Re-engagement, any light capacity, fond children, domes., musical. Delta, Herald.

A YOUNG Lady desires a SITUATION as Pupil Teacher or as Governess to young children. Hope, G. P. O.

A YOUNG Man, thoroughly acquainted jewellery, optical business, seeks engagement. Theodolite, Herald.

AERATED Waters Bottler, Temperance Beers, and Cordial-maker wants EMPLOYMENT, highest references. Address Bottler, 258, Castlereagh-street.

AN EXPERIENCED qualified clever NURSE will be disengaged from the second week in November. Address Mrs. Rose, care of Mr. H. Sadler, chemist, William-street.

A PRACTICAL Factory Engineer, with good stock of tools, wants SITUATION to take charge and repair machinery, town or country, good reference. Engineer, 819, King-street, Newtown, Sydney.

A RESPECTABLE, sober, honest couple want SITUATION; good general servants; understand all kinds of work about gentleman's house; good references, personal or otherwise; town, country; 3 days. J. W., 75, Albion-st., Surry H.

A RESPECTABLE young Man, with country experience, seeks ENGAGEMENT in a Store, as Assistant, &c.; has also a good knowledge of clerical work.
Apply Perseverance, Post-office, Goulburn.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Waiting, superior German Finishing Governess, speaks English well, French, German, music, singing, painting, oils and water colours, drawing, good refs; English, French, Latin, music, singing, drawing, dancing, station pref.; L. Help; M. Couple, boots, waiter, useful, wife housemaid or cook, good refs.; groom and gardener.

BY a young Lady, thoroughly domesticated, Companion or Help; small salary. Minnie, Herald Office.

BY elderly man, garden, groom, drive, milk cow, useful about gentleman's place; 12s; refs. G., 83, Market-st.

CUTTER.—Tailor, large experiences, first-class refs., wants Situation, salary £3. Guttentag, 21, Bligh-street.

CATTLE-MEN.—A first-class competent man, of many years' experience, seeks EMPLOYMENT as Inspector of Stations, or Selector of Fat or Store Stock, or Drover in large contracts. Highest testimonials in town. Apply 424, George-st.

DISENGAGED, monthly NURSE, strictly temperate, good recommendation. 282, Palmer-street, Darlinghurst.

EDUCATED, domesticated young Englishwoman desires a Situation as housekeeper. N. D., 148, Campbell-st., S. H.

EXPERIENCED Lady Help seeks SITUATION in country, good testimonials, is kind. A. Z., Herald Office.

EXPERIENCED Governess requires Re-engagement. Thorough English, music, French, Latin; highest testimonials; junior pupils preferred. Tuition, Governesses' Institute, Lonsdale-street, Melbourne.

FIRST-CLASS Upholsterer wants WORK of any description; moderate. Upholsterer, Herald Office.

FIVE POUNDS for permanent EMPLOYMENT in store, town or country; open week. Masonic, Herald Office.

FRENCH Nursery Governess disengaged; teaches English, French, music; good references. 77, Riley-street.

GOOD General Servants waiting Engagements. Davies's Registry, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

GOVERNESS desires daily Engagement; excellent refs.; usual subjects; small salary. Dorothy, G. P. O.

HOUSEKEEPER seeks SITUATION, is accustomed to children; personal refer. E. A., Post-office, Crown-st.

HOUSEKEEPER open for ENGAGEMENT, business or otherwise, good cook; city references; open for a week. A. B. C., 8, Bridge-street.

HOUSEKEEPER seeks SITUATION, four years' references—"Performed all duties faithfully, was attentive, kind, obliging;" cooks well. Bena, Y. W. C. A., Wynyard-square.

HOUSEKEEPER.—An English Lady with limited means desires ENGAGEMENT as above; salary not so much an object as comfortable home. C., 10, Tattersall's-chambers.

HOUSEKEEPER.—A Lady accustomed to managing a house wishes position as HOUSEKEEPER on a station or in town; highest references to character and qualifications. Fleta, Herald Office.

JUNIOR Clerk open for ENGAGEMENT, solicitor's office or otherwise, with several years' experience; best references, moderate salary. E. F., Herald Office.

LEDGERKEEPER or Invoice Clerk; several years hardware; best refs.; salary not object. Ledger, Herald.

LADY, experienced Governess, seeks SITUATION—English and thorough French, Music, Singing, excellent needlewoman. Noëlie, Herald Office.

MALE Attendant, trained; mental, surgical, or med. cases, day or night, educated; references. Care, Herald.

MOST respectable Girl wants PLACE, assist or otherwise. L. N., care of Mrs. Gaynor, Morrell-st., Woollahra.

NURSE, or Nurse and Needlewoman, wishes SITUATION in gentleman's family. Address M. R., Herald.

NO SALARY.—Well-educated young English Lady will teach thorough French, Drawing, and Painting in return for comfortable HOME in or near Sydney. As Companion to lady, with light domestic duties; or superintend small household.
M. C., G. P. O., Sydney.

PUSHING energetic young man (good address) seeks Engagement, traveller or salesman. Levy, 358, Riley-street.

QUEENSLAND.—Commercial Gentleman, with extensive connection, is open for ENGAGEMENT or Commission, and divide expenses. J. S., Box 753, G. P. O.

RESPECTABLE sober Woman would keep house for one or two mechanics, good references. J. T., 208, Pitt-st.

RESPECTABLE Girl wants SITUATION as Housemaid; would assist waiting. G. H., Haymarket P. Office.

SITUATION wanted, by a competent young Man, as Groom, garden, drive; city references. H. H., Herald Office.

SOLICITORS.—Exp. corresponding CLERK diseng., shorthand writer, good refs. F. C., care Belbridge, Herald.

STEADY MAN wants Situation, as cook and baker, station or camp, references. Birschel, European Hotel.

STEWARDESS.—£5 given for procuring SITUATION as above; good references. Stewardess, Herald Office.

STRONG respectable young Man, with good character, requires any EMPLOYMENT. J. O., 10, Campbell-street, Glebe.

SERGEANT Constab. (ex) and wife, age 40, want Care of Offices, Chambers, any place of trust; educated, best references. English, Herald Office.

SITUATION on station, by young man, use carpenter's and engineer's tools, keep books, make himself useful, open one week. A., 2, Bedford-street, Strawberry Hills.

TO GROCERS.—Wanted, Situation as Junior, 5 years' exp., can keep books. A. S., 8, Maximus-ter., Glebe-road.

TO General Importers and Merchants.—A gentleman, with a general knowledge of goods, good connection, and great experience, desires ENGAGEMENT as Traveller or Salesman. W. R., Herald Office.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, by a good Hand, respectable and sober man (foreigner), a SITUATION (country or suburb preferred); 13 months in last situation; good references. Address A. R. C., Post-office, Tamworth.

TO STOREKEEPERS.—An efficient young Man, age 26, single, seeks RE-ENGAGEMENT, town or country, 12 years' English and Colonial experience, used to books. Address Epicier, Haymarket P. O.

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WANTED, SITUATION by trustworthy Man, married, good experience with cattle; refs. J. C., Herald.

WANTED, by respectable Person, Situation as Laundress or H. Maid. Mrs. Hennessy, M'Lean-st., Darling Pt.

WANTED, WASHING, to take home, or by day; references. 33, Leicester-ter., Leicester-st., Paddington.

WANTED, by respectable F. Cook, SITUATION, best town and country refs.; open a week. 410, Pitt-street.

WANTED, to place Youth in Ironmongery Store, to learn routine of business. F. Kirby, 192, Victoria-st.

WANTED, by respectable Girl, Situation as housemaid, hotel; Manly pref.; refs. Canford Lodge, Burwood.

WANTED, by respectable Woman, Family's WASHING. Mrs. Hennessy, M'Lean-street, Darling Point.

WANTED, by young widow, with a boy, Situation as Housekeeper to 1 or 2 gentlemen. Reta, P. O., Glebe.

WANTED, an Engagement, cattle station; long exp., testimonials and refs.; open 10 days. Stock, G. P. O.

WANTED by young Girl from country Situation g. ser. or h.-maid. Grace, 38, Dangar-place, Chippendale.

WANTED, Situation, suburbs, good gen. Servant healthy child, small wages, ref. Mission Home N'town-rd.

WANTED by respectable person, WASHING or Cleaning by the day. 160, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, by resp. English Woman, mus., Situation H'keeper or Companion, refs. 60, Underwood-st., Pad.

WANTED, a PLACE in quiet family, light housework, wages no object. A. O'Neill, 143, Devonshire-st.

WANTED, by first-class Trousers Hands, Work at home. No. 97, Walker-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a place, country, assist in general housework, recom. Ashburton Villa, Campbell-street, Balmain.

WANTED, SITUATION, with child 16 months old. Apply A. B., Dowling's, tram terminus, Leichhardt.

WANTED, by a young Man, 19 (R.C.), best refs., SITUATION in country store. Apply Trial, Herald Office.

WANTED, a SITUATION as Housemaid for a young girl, near 17 years of age, in private gentleman's family. Address William Minnet, Camden Park, Menangle.

WANTED by two young girls, SITUATION in gentleman's family, good refs., open a week, country preferred. K. L., Manly P. O.

WANTED, by 2 thoroughly domesticated sisters, SITUATIONS in small families, no children, age 19 and 15, Parramatta or Liverpool preferred; open a week. Address Trustworthy, P. O., Canley Vale.

WANTED, an ENGAGEMENT, by a certificated Mine Manager, Millman, and Assayer, of over 20 years' experience in Victoria, Queensland, and late of New Zealand; unexceptionable testimonials. Apply Assayer, Herald Office.

YOUNG Groom and Coachman wishes EMPLOYMENT; first-class refs. C. Mc., G. P. O., Sydney.

YOUNG Widow as Working HOUSEKEEPER, with boy 3. E. M., Post-office, Haymarket.

YOUNG Lady will give Services in return PASSAGE to England, good sailor. F. P., Paddington P. O.

YOUNG Lady, 12 months from home, desires SITUATION N. Governess; references. M. B. J., Herald.

YOUNG Lady will give Music in return for comfortable HOME, vicinity of Camperdown, Forest Lodge, or Leichhardt. Address K. Z., Herald Office.

Servants Wanted.

A COMPETENT HOUSEMAID wanted for city, about 24, refs. Fairview, Town Hall, Milson's Point.

ACTIVE young MAN used to dairy wanted, must be good milker. Mr. Aiken, No. 1, Jamieson-lane.

A GOOD General SERVANT wanted. White Lion Hotel, Riley and Goulburn streets, Surry Hills.

A MIDDLE-AGED Woman wanted, as General SERVANT. 145, Clarence-street.

A RESPECTABLE Girl wanted, General SERVANT. Balmoral House, 128, Phillip-street, city.

AT Jubilee Registry Office, 199A, Elizabeth-street.—Wanted, COOK and Laundress; also Lady Help.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, Men and Boys for farms, dairies, carters, hotels, gardens, grooms, M. Cs.

AT the Female Department, Servants' Home, 83, Market-st.—Servants leaving situations can stay till suited.

AT Miss Butler's Reg., 100, Market-street.—Wanted, Barmaid for Maitland, 20s; H. P. Maid, hotel, 14s.

AT Miss Fowler's, 215, Castlereagh-st.—Competent Cook and Laundress, for country, small family, wanted.

A YOUNG Girl wanted as General SERVANT, refs. Mrs. Campbell, The Grove, Queen-street, Woollahra.

A STRONG young woman as General SERVANT. Apply with references, Saturday or Monday, to Mrs. Cecil Darley, Erinagh, 4, Elizabeth Bay-road.

A YOUNG Person required as General SERVANT for small family, experienced; boy kept; Protestant preferred. Mrs. J. Gibbs, Mornington Lodge, Penkivil-street, Bondi.

AT 108, Bathurst-street, G. Institute.—Wanted, exp. Cook, 20s; H. P. Maid, 15s (Protestants), Darlinghurst; C. L., Burwood; plain Cook, hotel, Hartley Vale, 18s; H. Maid and Laundress, hotel, 15s; G. Servant, for hotel, cook kept, country; exp. Nurse, for Burwood and Double Bay, 12s; several Nursegirls and G. Servants, smart Waitress, city, sleep at home.

BOY (16) wanted, at 83, Market-st., for Government survey camp, country, able to ride, R. C. pref., refs. req.

BOYS and GIRLS wanted for labelling and packing. S. Freeman and Sons, Blue Works, Harris-street, Ultimo.

CHINESE or Japanese COOK wanted. Mrs. Baldwin, next to Public school, Ben Boyd-road, Neutral Bay.

COOK.—Experienced second COOK wanted. Apply early 183, Elizabeth-street.

EIGHT MINERS wanted, to join in Working Quartz in Queensland; reef will pay from £4 to £6 per week; no premium required; each miner must have £20 to start with. For particulars, 396, Kent-s., at 2 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted. Apply 104, Gipps-street, Surry Hills.

GENERAL SERVANT Wanted, 3 in family. Apply Mrs. Saunders, tram terminus, Leichhardt.

GIRL, 14, clergyman's house, suburb. Apply 10 to 12, Monday, St. Saviour's Parsonage, Young-street, Redfern.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted, must be good cook and laundress, 15s weekly. No. 6 Avenue, Fitzroy-street, off King-street, Newtown, near New York Brewery. Others kept.

LITTLE GIRL, to mind baby whole day or afternoons only. Apply at Shalimar, Grafton-street, corner Nelson-street and Waverley-road.

MEN who want Situations, try Express Registry, 16, Mercantile-chambers, Castlereagh and Park streets.

RESPECTABLE young person wanted as Children's NURSE. Apply after 10 o'clock, Mrs. Sadler, 154, Vic.-st.

STRONG sober Man requires WORK, willing, wages no object, constant work. Apply No. 352, Kent-street.

TEETH Painlessly Extracted under Nitrous Oxide Gas every morning. Marshall Brothers, dentists, city.

TO ENGINEERS.—Candidates prepared for Marine Board First, Second, and Third Class Certificate Examinations. Mons. BRIOT, B. Sc. (Paris University), 216, Crown-street, one door from Liverpool-street, Woolloomooloo.

THOROUGH good General SERVANT and LAUNDRESS required for boarding establishment on the Blue Mountains; personal reference required; wages 14s per week. Apply Domestic, P. O., Katoomba.

WANTED, steady middle-aged Man, understand ploughing, milk. Monday, Adelaide Hotel, Moore P.-rd.

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WANTED for the country, near Scone, COOK and LAUNDRESS. Apply D. V. S., Herald Office.

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WANTED, General SERVANT, references required. Hero of Waterloo Hotel, Lower Fort-street.

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